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MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC Form 8-K March 12, 2019

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): March 8, 2019 Merit Medical Systems, Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Utah 0-18592 87-0447695 (State or other jurisdiction of Commission (I.R.S. Employer incorporation or organization) File Number) Identification No.)

1600 West Merit Parkway

South Jordan, Utah 84095 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(801) 253-1600

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company o

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the

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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.

On March 8, 2019, Elizabeth J. Huebner resigned as a director of Merit Medical Systems, Inc. (the "Company"), effective as of that date. Ms. Huebner did not advise the Company of any disagreement with the Company on any matter relating to its operations, policies or practices. Effective upon Ms. Huebner's resignation, the size of the Company's Board of Directors was reduced from 11 to 10 directors.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

MERIT MEDICAL SYSTEMS, INC.

Date: March 11, 2019 By:/s/ Brian G. Lloyd Brian G. Lloyd Chief Legal Officer and Corporate Secretary

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