

MERGE HEALTHCARE INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Merrick RIS, LLC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 MERGE HEALTHCARE INC  
 [MRGE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 233 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE, SUITE 2330

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 09/22/2010

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_X\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)

(Street)  
 CHICAGO, IL 60601

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 \_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_X\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	09/22/2010		P		9,000	A	\$ 2.73
Common Stock	09/22/2010		P		100	A	\$ 2.735
Common Stock	09/22/2010		P		4,500	A	\$ 2.74
Common Stock	09/22/2010		P		11,400	A	\$ 2.75
Common Stock	09/23/2010		P		200	A	\$ 2.7

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Common Stock	09/23/2010	P	900	A	\$ 2.71	31,247,537	D	
Common Stock	09/23/2010	P	4,600	A	\$ 2.72	31,252,137	D	
Common Stock	09/23/2010	P	700	A	\$ 2.73	31,252,837	D	
Common Stock	09/23/2010	P	2,600	A	\$ 2.74	31,255,437	D	
Common Stock	09/23/2010	P	9,700	A	\$ 2.75	31,265,137	D	
Series A Non-Voting Preferred Stock <sup>(1)</sup>						10,000	D	
Common Stock						500,000	I	Subsidiary Holding <sup>(2)</sup>

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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