

MERIDIAN BIOSCIENCE 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 \*  
 Winslow Amy

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 MERIDIAN BIOSCIENCE INC  
 [VIVO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 3471 RIVER HILLS DRIVE  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 03/24/2016

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 EVP, Pres & CEO of Magellan

CINCINNATI, OH 45244

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	03/24/2016		A		5,000 <u>(1)</u>	A	\$ 0 5,000 D
Common Stock	03/24/2016		A		5,000 <u>(2)</u>	A	\$ 0 10,000 D

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. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.56	03/24/2016		A	10,000	<sup>(3)</sup> 03/24/2026	Common Stock	10,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Winslow Amy 3471 RIVER HILLS DRIVE CINCINNATI, OH 45244			EVP, Pres & CEO of Magellan	

## Signatures

/s/ Melissa A. Lueke, attorney-in-fact for Amy Winslow  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \*\*Signature of Reporting Person  
 03/28/2016  
 Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) These restricted stock units are awarded under the 2012 Stock Incentive Plan and vest in full (or 100%) on March 24, 2019.
- (2) These restricted stock units are awarded under the 2012 Stock Incentive Plan and vest in three equal installments from the date of grant (i.e., one-third per year until fully vested on March 24, 2019), subject to attainment of specified performance targets.
- (3) These options are awarded under the 2012 Stock Incentive Plan and vest in three equal installments from the date of grant (i.e., one-third per year until fully vested on March 24, 2019).

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