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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Burton Karen L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

STERIS plc [STE] (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

02/13/2018

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

VP, Controller & CAO

_ Other (specify

C/O RUTHERFORD HOUSE, **STEPHENSONS**

(Street)

(First)

WAY, CHADDESDEN

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

_X__ Officer (give title

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D) Perivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Ordinary Shares, 10 pence par value	02/13/2018		M	1,500 (1)	A	\$ 31.87	10,037	D	
Ordinary Shares, 10 pence par value	02/13/2018		S	1,500 (2)	D	\$ 85.59	8,537 <u>(3)</u>	D	
Ordinary Shares, 10 pence par							323 (4)	I	By 401(k)

value

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Other

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.87	02/13/2018		M	1,500	<u>(5)</u>	05/20/2020	Ordinary Shares	1,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner

Burton Karen L C/O RUTHERFORD HOUSE, STEPHENSONS WAY CHADDESDEN DERBY, X0 DE21 6LY

VP, Controller & CAO

Relationships

Officer

Signatures

/s/ Ronald E. Snyder, Authorized Representative under Power of Attorney 02/14/2018

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

**Signature of Reporting Person

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This exercise of 1,500 ordinary shares is pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Stock Trading Plan entered into by the Reporting Person on December 5, 2016.

- (2) Of the total shares sold, all 1,500 shares were sold pursuant to the above-referenced 10b5-1 plan sale.
- (3) 7,656 of these shares are restricted and vest as follows: 1,000 on April 2, 2018; 972 on May 30, 2018; 764 on May 28, 2019; 700 on October 1, 2019; 1,220 on June 1, 2020 and 3,000 on June 1, 2021.
- (4) Based on closing price of \$85.65 per share on February 13, 2018.
- (5) This option was granted on May 20, 2010 and is fully vested.

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