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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction See Instruction Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * OConnell Christopher J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MEDTRONIC INC [MDT]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
710 MEDTRONIC PKWY MS LC310			05/22/2009	Officer (give title Other (special below) SVP & Pres Diabetes			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55432			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State) (2	Zip) Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative s	Securi	ities Acq	quired, 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price			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)
Common Stock							2,340.192	I	ESOP
Common Stock	05/22/2009		M	4,762	A	\$ 31.5	76,090.138	D	
Common Stock	05/22/2009		S	4,762	D	\$ 32.5	71,328.138	D (2)	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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	Amoun or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.5	05/22/2009		M	4,762	05/26/2000(1)	05/26/2009	Common Stock	4,762

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

OConnell Christopher J 710 MEDTRONIC PKWY MS LC310 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55432

SVP & Pres Diabetes

Signatures

James N. Spolar, Attorney-in-fact 05/27/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person 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 options become exercisable at the rate of 25% of the shares granted per year beginning on the first anniversary of grant.
- (2) This balance increased by 766.696 shares due to exempt transactions such as dividend reinvestment and dividend equivalent units.

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