

KREIDER GARY P

Form 4

January 23, 2006

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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Section 16.  
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may continue.  
See Instruction  
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
KREIDER GARY P

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)

1356-1 US 52

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/19/2006

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

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

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

NEW RICHMOND, OH 45157

(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. Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired 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	01/20/2006		S		1,300	D	\$ 23.92	21,865 D
Common Stock	01/20/2006		S		100	D	\$ 23.93	21,765 D
Common Stock	01/20/2006		S		2,600	D	\$ 23.935	19,165 D
Common Stock	01/23/2006		S		4,000	D	\$ 24.131	15,165 D
Common Stock								6,183 I

As Trustee  
for Nancy  
Volk Trust

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Common Stock	1,500	I	As custodian for children
Common Stock	217	I	By spouse

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. I
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.59	01/19/2006		A	3,476	<u>(1)</u>	01/19/2016	Common Stock
								Amount or Number of Shares
								3,476

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
KREIDER GARY P 1356-1 US 52 NEW RICHMOND, OH 45157	X

## Signatures

Gary P. Kreider 01/23/2006

\*\*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) The option vests in the amount of one-fourth every 90 days from the date of grant.

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