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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Bardwell Kathleen</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O CHANCERY HOUSE, 190 WATERSIDE RD.</u> <u>HAMILTON INDUSTRIAL PARK</u>  (Street) <u>LEISCESTER X0 LE5 1QZ</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Steris plc [ STE ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Sr.V. P. &amp; C.C.O.</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>05/03/2017</u>	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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			
Ordinary Shares, 10 pence par value	05/03/2017		M		4,275 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$31.87	19,851	D	
Ordinary Shares, 10 pence par value	05/03/2017		S		4,275	D	\$75	15,576 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	

**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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$31.87	05/03/2017		M		4,275	(3)	05/20/2020	Ordinary Shares	4,275	\$0.00	0	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- This exercise and sale of a total of 4,275 ordinary shares is pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Stock Trading Plan entered into by the Reporting Person on November 15, 2016.
- 6,950 of these ordinary shares are restricted. The restrictions on these ordinary shares lapse as follows: 500 on June 1, 2017; 500 on June 1, 2018; 500 on June 3, 2019; 500 on June 1, 2020; 625 on May 30, 2017; 625 on May 28, 2018; 625 on May 28, 2019; 750 on May 30, 2017; 750 on May 30, 2018; 450 on May 31, 2017; 375 on October 2, 2017; 375 on October 1, 2018 and 375 on October 1, 2019.
- This option to purchase 4,275 STERIS plc ordinary shares, which is fully vested, was received in the Merger in exchange for an option to purchase 4,275 STERIS Corporation common shares for \$31.87 per share, subject to the same terms and conditions as the original STERIS Corporation stock option.

**Remarks:**

/s/ Ronald E. Snyder,  
Authorized Representative      05/05/2014  
under Power of Attorney

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person      Date

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

\* 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).

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