

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Rosebrough Walter M Jr</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O RUTHERFORD HOUSE, STEPHENSONS WAY</u> <u>CHADDESSEN</u> (Street) <u>DERBY X0 DE21 6LY</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) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President & CEO |
| | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>05/31/2018</u> | |
| | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person 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 | 05/31/2018 | | A | | 12,388 ⁽¹⁾ | A | \$0.00 | 61,192 | D | |
| Ordinary Shares, 10 pence par value | 06/01/2018 | | S | | 8,571 | D | \$104.46 ⁽²⁾ | 52,621 | D | |
| Ordinary Shares, 10 pence par value | 06/01/2018 | | F | | 2,100 ⁽³⁾ | D | \$104.57 | 50,521 ⁽⁴⁾ | D | |
| Ordinary Shares, 10 pence par value | 05/31/2018 | | G | V | 5,806 | D | \$0.00 | 38,000 | I | See Footnote Below. ⁽⁵⁾ |

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) | |
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| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | | | | | | Title |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$114.22 | 05/31/2018 | | A | | 136,268 | | (6) | 05/31/2028 | Ordinary Shares | 136,268 | \$0.00 | 136,268 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- All 12,388 of these Common Shares are restricted. The restrictions on these Common Shares lapse as follows: 3,097 on May 31, 2019; 3,097 on June 1, 2020; 3,097 on June 1, 2021 and 3,097 on May 31, 2022.
- This represents the average sales price of the 8,571 shares sold in the open market. The actual sales prices ranged from \$104.16 per share to \$104.77 per share. The Reporting Person, upon request by the SEC staff, will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each of the separate sales prices
- 2,100 shares were withheld from the 4,681 restricted shares that vested on June 1, 2018. These 2,100 ordinary shares represent the value of the taxes required to be withheld pursuant to applicable employment or tax laws, as determined by the Issuer. These 4,681 ordinary shares were awarded to Mr. Rosebrough on June 1, 2016 as part of an award of 18,724 restricted shares. These vested shares were valued at the NYSE closing market price on June 1, 2018. The remaining restrictions on these ordinary shares lapse as follows: 4,681 on June 3, 2019; and 4,681 on June 1, 2020.
- These 50,521 ordinary shares are held by the Reporting Person as Trustee of a revocable trust established for his benefit. 37,375 of these Ordinary Shares are restricted. The restrictions on the restricted Ordinary Shares lapse as follows: 3,625 on May 28, 2019; 4,000 on May 30, 2019; 3,097 on May 31, 2019; 4,681 on June 3, 2019; 4,681 on June 1, 2020; 4,000 on June 1, 2020; 3,097 on June 1, 2020; 4,000 on June 1, 2021; 3,097 on June 1, 2021 and 3,097 on May 31, 2022.
- These ordinary shares are held by the Reporting Person's Spouse as Trustee of a revocable trust established for her benefit.
- This option becomes exercisable as follows: 34,067 on May 31, 2019; 34,067 on June 1, 2020; 34,067 on June 1, 2021 and 34,067 on May 31, 2022.

Remarks:

/s/ Ronald E. Snyder,
Authorized Representative 06/04/2018
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).

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