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(Print or Type F	Responses)										
			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MEDTRONIC INC [MDT]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (M	iddle) 3	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				(Chec	neck all applicable)			
MEDTRONIC, INC., 710 MEDTRONIC PARKWAY, M.S. LC310			(Month/Day/Year) 07/28/2008					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Sr VP & CFO			
				ndment, Date Original th/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person			
MINNEAPO	DLIS, MN 55432-	5604						Form filed by M Person	lore than One Re	porting	
(City)	(State) (State)	Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecuri	ties Aco	quired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deeme Execution I any (Month/Day	Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)	on(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4	and 5 (A) or	of 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)		
Common Stock	07/28/2008			Code V $A^{(1)}$	Amount 28,377	(D) A	Price \$ 0	102,738.485 (2)	D		
Common Stock								4,202	I	By 401(k) Plan	
Common Stock								6,607.687	I	By ESOP	

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

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. ofNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	3	ate	7. Title a Amount Underlyi Securitie (Instr. 3 a	of ing es	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owna Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		

Reporting Owners

**Signature of Reporting Person

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Ellis Gary Lee MEDTRONIC, INC. 710 MEDTRONIC PARKWAY, M.S. L MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55432-5604	C310		Sr VP & CFO				
Signatures							
James N. Spolar, Attorney-in-Fact	07/30/2008						

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).
- (2) This balance increased by 465.288 due to exempt transactions such as ESPP, dividend reinvestment, and dividend equivalent credits.

The restrictions on these units shall lapse 100% on the third anniversary of the grant date if the Company's cumulative diluted earnings
(1) per share growth during the 36 month period ending on the last day of the Company's fiscal year 2011 equals or exceeds a 5% compound annual growth rate, as determined by the Compensation Committee.

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