ARTES MEDICAL INC

Form 3

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

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Â Goostree Diane S (Last) (First) (Middle) 5870 PACIFIC CENTER BOULEVARD (Street) SAN DIEGO,Â CAÂ 92121 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 12/19/2006	3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol ARTES MEDICAL INC [ARTE]
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) __X__ Director _____ 10% Owner __X__ Officer _____ Other (give title below) (specify below) President & CEO	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (*e.g.*, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			

(Instr. 5)

Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (1)	03/24/2016	Common Stock	117,647	$ 5.31	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (2)	06/30/2016	Common Stock	47,058	$ 7.86	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Goostree Diane S 5870 PACIFIC CENTER BOULEVARD SAN DIEGO,Â CAÂ 92121	Â X	Â	Â President & CEO	Â

Signatures

/s/ Diane S. Goostree	12/19/2006
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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(1) 1/8 of the shares represented by this option vest and become exercisable on September 1, 2006 and the remaining shares vest and become exercisable in 42 equal monthly installments beginning on October 1, 2006.

(2) 1/8 of the shares represented by this option vest and become exercisable on September 1, 2006 and the remaining shares vest and become exercisable in 42 equal monthly installments beginning on September 30, 2006.

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