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## FORM 4

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| 1. Name and Add<br>Throsby Ma | 1 6  | Person* | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>Merus N.V.</u> [ MRUS ] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)<br>Director 10% Owner  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                               | C/O MERUS N.V.<br>YALELAAN 62<br>Street)<br>UTRECHT P7 3584 CM                   |         | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>07/01/2020                   | X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)<br>EVP & Chief Scientific Officer  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (Street)<br>UTRECHT<br>(City) |  |         | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                         | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable<br>Line)<br>X Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>Form filed by More than One Reporting<br>Person |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                               | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |         |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | 4. Securities<br>Disposed Of<br>5) |               |        | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--|---|------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|---------------|--------|---|---|---|
|                                 |  |   | Code                         | v | Amount                             | (A) or<br>(D) | Price  | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)  |   |   |
| Common Shares                   | 07/01/2020                                 |   | М                            |   | 708                                | Α             | \$0.00 | 45,883  | D   |   |

 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | of Expiration Date<br>Derivative (Month/Day/Year)<br>Securities<br>Acquired |     | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                    | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |   |  |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|---|-----|--|--------------------|---|--|--|--|---|--|
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A)   | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares   |  |  |   |  |
| Restricted<br>Share Unit                            | (1)   | 07/01/2020                                 |   | м                            |   |   | 708 | 07/01/2020   | (1)                | Common<br>Shares                                    | 708  | (1)  | 4,217  | D |  |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Each restricted share unit represents a contingent right to receive one common share of the Issuer. Restricted share units do not have an expiration date.

Remarks:

## /s/ Peter Silverman as attorneyin fact

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

 $\star$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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