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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ⁴ Averick Robert M	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMTECH SYSTEMS INC [ASYS]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director X 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) C/O KOKINO LLC, 201 TRESSED BOULEVARD, 3RD FLOOR		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/23/2021					Officer (give title below) Officer (give title below)	her (specify bel	ow)		
(Street) STAMFORD, CT 06901		4. 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			
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
Title of Security 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	tion	4. Securi (A) or Di (Instr. 3,	isposed o	f(D)	Owned Following Reported	cially 6. 7. Nature Ownership of Indirect Form: Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	

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

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

	(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)														
Security	Conversion	Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	tion)		ive ies ed ed	6. Date Exercisable and 7 Expiration Date 0 (Month/Day/Year) S		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial
				Code	v	(A)		Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy) (1) (2)	\$ 11.51	03/23/2021		А		6,000		<u>(3)</u>	03/23/2031	Common Stock	6,000	<u>(4)</u>	6,000 <u>(5)</u>	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Averick Robert M C/O KOKINO LLC 201 TRESSER BOULEVARD, 3RD FLOOR STAMFORD, CT 06901	Х	Х					

Signatures

/s/ Robert M. Averick	03/25/2021
**Signature of Reporting Person	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).
- Mr. Averick is a Portfolio Manager at Kokino LLC ("Kokino"), which is a single-family office. Mr. Averick holds an indirect minority interest in shares of the issuer's Common Stock (1) through his minority ownership of one of Kokino's clients, Piton Capital Partners LLC ("Piton") (which ownership may be held directly and indirectly through Piton's managing member, Piton Capital Management LLC ("PCM")).
- Also, Mr. Averick's incentive compensation as an employee of Kokino, which is generally calculated in Kokino's discretion, may be based on the performance of shares of the issuer's Common Stock held by Kokino's clients. In addition, the performance of such shares may result in an allocation that increases Mr. Averick's ownership interest in Piton pursuant to the state of the stat
- ²¹ Piton's operating agreement. Kokino is the managing member of PCM, and Mr. Averick's and Piton's beneficial ownership of Common Stock is reported in a Schedule 13D filed on January 25, 2016 (as amended most recently on November 27, 2018).
- (3) The option vests on September 23, 2021.
- (4) Price omitted because the transaction is a grant of a stock option.
- (5) This is the number of derivative securities, with the same terms and conditions, following the reported transaction. Total of all derivative securities, including those with different terms and conditions, held following the reported transaction is 36,000.

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