## FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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	pe Response	s)													
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 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) (Middle) C/O KOKINO LLC, 201 TRESSER BOULEVARD, 3RD FLOOR				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/11/2018						-	Officer (given	ve title below)	Oth	er (specify below)	
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
STAMFORD, CT 06901 (City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqui							ured. Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
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### **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	X	X				

## **Signatures**

/s/ Robert Averick	05/15/2018
**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 \$.01 par value common stock ("Common Stock") through his minority ownership of one of Kokino's clients, Piton Capital Partners LLC ("Piton") (which ownership may be held directly and
- (1) indirectly through Piton's managing member, Piton Capital Management LLC ("PCM")). Also, Mr. Averick's incentive compensation as an employee of Kokino, which is calculated in Kokino's discretion, may be based on the performance of shares of Common Stock held by Kokino's clients. Such compensation may be paid in cash and/or by way of increasing Mr. Averick's minority interest in Piton (either directly or indirectly through PCM). 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 on August 24, 2017 and December 18, 2017)
- (2) The option vests on November 12, 2018.
- (3) Price omitted because the transaction is a grant of a stock option.
- (4) 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 18,000.

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