ALERE INC. Form 4 November 04, 2013

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Bjorklund Hakan

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(Middle)

(Last) (First) ALERE INC. [ALR] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director 10% Owner

51 SAWYER ROAD, SUITE 200

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year) 10/31/2013

Other (specify Officer (give title below)

(Check all applicable)

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X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

WALTHAM, MA 02453

Security

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially

Owned

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 4)

SEC 1474

(9-02)

Following Reported

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

or

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Conversion Security or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

5. Number of 4. TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A)

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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	Derivative Security				or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)					
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 33.73	10/31/2013	A		39,820		<u>(1)</u>	10/31/2023	Common Stock	39,820
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 33.73	10/31/2013	A		13,936		<u>(1)</u>	10/31/2023	Common Stock	13,936

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Bjorklund Hakan 51 SAWYER ROAD, SUITE 200 WALTHAM, MA 02453	X						

Signatures

/s/ Jay McNamara, Attorney in Fact 11/04/2013

**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).
- This option constitutes compensation for the period August 19, 2013 through June 30, 2016. The option vests in three annual installments (1) beginning June 30, 2014, with the first installment representing pro-rated service of 316 days compensation and each subsequent installment representing 12 months compensation.
- (2) This derivative security does not have a price.
- (3) This option represents the director's election to receive base compensation as options in lieu of cash.

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