Chiniara Ellen Form 4 October 03, 2017

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Washington, D.C. 20549

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SECURITIES obligations may continue.

See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Chiniara Ellen

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ALERE INC. [ALR]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director X_ Officer (give title 10% Owner

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GC, Chief Ethics Officer&Sec

(Street)

(State)

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

WALTHAM, MA 02453

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

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1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code Amount (D) Price

Common Stock

10/03/2017

D 32,764 D <u>(1)</u> D

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. I De Sec (In
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 35.58	10/03/2017		D	8,331	<u>(2)</u>	(2)	Common Stock	8,331	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 38.01	10/03/2017		D	5,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	5,000	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 26.06	10/03/2017		D	10,000	<u>(2)</u>	(2)	Common Stock	10,000	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 45.47	10/03/2017		D	35,000	<u>(2)</u>	(2)	Common Stock	35,000	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 37.42	10/03/2017		D	5,250	<u>(2)</u>	(2)	Common Stock	5,250	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.43	10/03/2017		D	975	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	975	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.68	10/03/2017		D	11,788	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	11,788	
Day)	\$ 36.74	10/03/2017		D	1,500	(2)	(2)		1,500	

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Employee Common Stock Stock Option (Right to Buy) Restricted Common Stock (3) 10/03/2017 D 19,470 (3) (3) 19,470 Stock Units

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Chiniara Ellen
51 SAWYER ROAD
SUITE 200
WALTHAM, MA 02453
GC, Chief
Ethics
Officer&Sec

Signatures

/s/ Doug Barry, Attorney-in-Fact

**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).
- Pursuant to that certain Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of January 30, 2016, as amended on April 13, 2017 (the "Merger Agreement"), between Alere Inc. (the "Company") and Abbott Laboratories, at the Effective Time (as defined in the Merger Agreement) (the "Effective Time"), each of these shares of the Company's common stock (the "Common Stock") was converted into the right to receive \$51.00 (the "Merger Consideration").
- Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, at the Effective Time, each outstanding Employee Stock Option, whether vested or unvested, was canceled and converted into the right to receive a lump-sum cash payment equal to the product of (i) the number of shares of Common Stock for which such Employee Stock Option has not been exercised and (ii) the excess, if any, of the Merger Consideration over the exercise price per share of such Employee Stock Option.
- Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock. Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, at the Effective Time, each outstanding Restricted Stock Unit was canceled and converted into the right to receive a lump-sum cash payment equal to the product of (i) the number of shares of Common Stock subject to such Restricted Stock Unit immediately prior to the Effective Time and (ii) the Merger Consideration.

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