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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** LEVY JOHN F	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALERE INC. [ALR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
51 SAWYER ROAD, SUITE 200	(Month/Day/Year) 04/20/2015	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
(Street)	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		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

WALTHAM, MA 02453

(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner.								y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitin(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed 4 and 5 (A) or	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/20/2015(1)		Code V M	Amount 25,000	(D)	Price \$ 28.03	172,125	D	
Common Stock	04/20/2015(1)		F	14,000	D	\$ 50.05	158,125	D	
Common Stock							2,360	I	See Footnote (3)
Common Stock							5,201	I	See Footnote (4)
Common							1,007	I	See

Stock Footnote (5)

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)

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)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Acqu or D	urities uired (A) bisposed of tr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4	Securities
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to	\$ 28.03	04/20/2015(1)		M		25,000	05/24/2009	05/24/2015	Common Stock	25,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LEVY JOHN F 51 SAWYER ROAD, SUITE 200 WALTHAM, MA 02453	X						

Signatures

Buy)

/s/ Jay McNamara, Attorney in Fact 04/22/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person Da

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).
- (1) The transaction reported on this form represents a net exercise of stock options.
- (2) This derivative security does not have a price.

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- (3) These securities are held by the John Levy Family Trust, of which the reporting person is the trustee, for the benefit of the reporting person's children.
- (4) These securities are held by Milton L. Levy Family Ltd., of which the reporting person is a limited partner.
- (5) These securities are owned by the John Levy and Gail Rotherberg Charitable Remainder Unitrust, of which the reporting person is the trustee. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.

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