

ALERE INC.
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MARKISON BRIAN A

(Last) (First) (Middle)
51 SAWYER ROAD, SUITE 200
(Street)
WALTHAM, MA 02453
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ALERE INC. [ALR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/31/2013

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities 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				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			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MARKISON BRIAN A 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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