APPLERA CORP Form 4

August 04, 2006

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BELINGARD JEAN LUC**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

APPLERA CORP [ABI/CRA]

(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

08/02/2006

APPLERA CORPORATION, 301 **MERRITT 7**

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original (Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

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NORWALK, CT 06851-1070

(City)	(State) (Z	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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Applied			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Biosystems Group Common Stock	08/02/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	34	D	\$ 32.29	26,035	D	
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	08/02/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	34	D	\$ 32.3	26,001	D	
Applied Biosystems	08/02/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	68	D	\$ 32.31	25,933	D	

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Group Common Stock							
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	08/02/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	68	D	\$ 32.32	25,865	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	08/02/2006	S(1)	45	D	\$ 32.35	25,820	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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	ionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		
	Security				Acquired						
	•				(A) or						
					Disposed						
					of (D)						
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title Num			
									of		
				Code V	/ (A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BELINGARD JEAN LUC APPLERA CORPORATION 301 MERRITT 7 NORWALK, CT 06851-1070	X						

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/s/ Thomas P. Livingston, Attorney-in-Fact for Jean-Luc Belingard

08/04/2006

**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).
- (1) Reflects sale by independent third-party administrator under the issuer's Insider Diversification Program.

Remarks:

This is the second of two forms being filed by the reporting person on August 4, 2006.

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