

ALERE INC.  
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# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Guerdan Melissa

(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)  
08/31/2015

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)

SVP, Global Quality & Reg.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	08/31/2015		M		8,333	A	Ⓛ
Common Stock	08/31/2015		F		3,198	D	\$ 51.97
Common Stock	09/01/2015 <sup>(3)</sup>		M		5,000	A	\$ 18.78
Common Stock	09/01/2015 <sup>(3)</sup>		S		5,000	D	\$ 50.4825

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



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On August 31, 2014, the reporting person was granted 25,000 restricted stock units, which vest as follows: 8,333 on the first anniversary of the grant date (8/31/15); 8,333 on the second anniversary of the grant date (8/31/16); and 8,334 on the third anniversary of the grant date (8/31/17).

- (3) The transactions reported on this Form were made pursuant to a written 10b5-1 trading plan adopted in accordance with SEC Rule 10b5-1. Represents same day exercise and sale of stock options.
- (4) Option will vest in four equal installments on 8/31/13, 8/31/14, 8/31/15 and 8/31/16.
- (5) This derivative security does not have a price.

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