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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Malkani Sanjay		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALERE INC. [ALR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (M	ddle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)			
51 SAWYER ROAD, SUITE	200	(Month/Day/Year) 08/31/2017	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Global Pres., Toxicology			
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
WALTHAM, MA 02453		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	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. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	08/31/2017		M	6,667	A	<u>(1)</u>	30,795	D		
Common Stock	08/31/2017		F	2,038	D	\$ 49.46	28,757	D		
Common Stock							565 <u>(3)</u>	I	See footnote 4.	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Derivative Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) equired (A) or (sposed of b) (natr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	08/31/2017		M	6,667	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	6,667	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Malkani Sanjay 51 SAWYER ROAD, SUITE 200 WALTHAM, MA 02453

Global Pres., Toxicology

Signatures

/s/ Douglas Barry, Attorney-in-Fact

09/05/2017

**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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Alere common stock.
- On August 31, 2014, the reporting person was granted 20,000 restricted stock units, which vest as follows: 6,666 on the first anniversary (2) of the grant date (8/31/15); 6,667 on the second anniversary of the grant date (8/31/16); and 6,667 on the third anniversary of the grant date (8/31/17).
- (3) These securities are owned by the reporting person's spouse.
- The reporting person hereby disclaims ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for the purpose of Section 16.

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