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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading WHITE TONY L Issuer Symbol APPLERA CORP [ABI/CRA] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title APPLERA CORPORATION, 301 05/03/2007 below) **MERRITT 7** Chairman, President and CEO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NORWALK, CT 06851-1070 Person

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acqu	ired, Disposed of, o	or Beneficially	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition(A) or Dia (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed 4 and 3 (A) or	l of (D) 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)
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007		Code V M	Amount 46,992	(D)	Price \$ 17.98	476,658.3343	D	
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	235	D	\$ 31.02	476,423.3343	D	
Applied Biosystems	05/03/2007		S(1)	1,173	D	\$ 31.01	475,250.3343	D	

Group Common Stock							
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	1,173	D	\$ 31	474,077.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	1,877	D	\$ 30.99	472,200.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	235	D	\$ 30.98	471,965.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	1,644	D	\$ 30.97	470,321.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S(1)	2,112	D	\$ 30.96	468,209.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S(1)	704	D	\$ 30.95	467,505.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	1,173	D	\$ 30.94	466,332.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S(1)	1,408	D	\$ 30.93	464,924.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group	05/03/2007	S(1)	939	D	\$ 30.92	463,985.3343	D

Common Stock							
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	1,170	D	\$ 30.91	462,815.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	704	D	\$ 30.9	462,111.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	704	D	\$ 30.89	461,407.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	707	D	\$ 30.88	460,700.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	939	D	\$ 30.87	459,761.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S(1)	704	D	\$ 30.86	459,057.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S(1)	236	D	\$ 30.85	458,821.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S(1)	1,407	D	\$ 30.84	457,414.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common	05/03/2007	S(1)	469	D	\$ 30.83	456,945.3343	D

Stock							
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	469	D	\$ 30.82	456,476.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S(1)	1,174	D	\$ 30.81	455,302.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S(1)	469	D	\$ 30.8	454,833.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	1,172	D	\$ 30.79	453,661.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	939	D	\$ 30.78	452,722.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	235	D	\$ 30.76	452,487.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S(1)	235	D	\$ 30.74	452,252.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S(1)	235	D	\$ 30.73	452,017.3343	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/03/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	234	D	\$ 30.72	451,783.3343	D

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)			Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		noi
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	I
Applied Biosystems Group Employee Stock Options-Right to Buy	\$ 17.98	05/03/2007		M	20,974	06/26/2000	06/26/2007	Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	
Applied Biosystems Group Employee Stock Options-Right to Buy	\$ 17.98	05/03/2007		M	26,018	02/06/2002	06/26/2007	Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	
Celera Group Employee Stock Options-Right to Buy	\$ 7.3301	05/03/2007		M	5,244	06/26/2000	06/26/2007	Celera Group Common Stock	
Celera Group Employee Stock Options-Right to Buy	\$ 7.33	05/03/2007		M	6,504	02/06/2002	06/26/2007	Celera Group Common Stock	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Reporting Owners 5

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WHITE TONY L APPLERA CORPORATION 301 MERRITT 7 NORWALK, CT 06851-1070

X Chairman, President and CEO

Signatures

/s/ Thomas P. Livingston, Attorney-in-Fact for Tony L. White

05/07/2007

**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:

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