APPLERA CORP Form 4

May 09, 2007

FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SAWCH WILLIAM B

(Middle)

(First)

APPLERA CORPORATION, 301 **MERRITT 7**

(Street)

Symbol

APPLERA CORP [ABI/CRA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/07/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Issuer

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

Sr. V.P. and General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

NORWALK, CT 06851-1070

(City)	(State) (Z	e I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owne							
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 Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
A 1' 1			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007		M	21,044	A	\$ 17.98	103,474.8847	D	
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	40	D	\$ 30.4	103,434.8847	D	
Applied Biosystems	05/07/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	240	D	\$ 30.39	103,194.8847	D	

Group Common Stock							
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	80	D	\$ 30.37	103,114.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S(1)	320	D	\$ 30.36	102,794.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	140	D	\$ 30.35	102,654.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	240	D	\$ 30.34	102,414.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	260	D	\$ 30.33	102,154.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S(1)	719	D	\$ 30.32	101,435.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S(1)	40	D	\$ 30.31	101,395.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S(1)	1,278	D	\$ 30.3	100,117.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group	05/07/2007	S(1)	479	D	\$ 30.29	99,638.8847	D

Common Stock							
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	399	D	\$ 30.28	99,239.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	639	D	\$ 30.27	98,600.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	559	D	\$ 30.26	98,041.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	639	D	\$ 30.25	97,402.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	559	D	\$ 30.24	96,843.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	420	D	\$ 30.23	96,423.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	639	D	\$ 30.22	95,784.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	220	D	\$ 30.21	95,564.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common	05/07/2007	S(1)	240	D	\$ 30.19	95,324.8847	D

Stock							
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S(1)	80	D	\$ 30.14	95,244.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	20	D	\$ 30.13	95,224.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	140	D	\$ 30.12	95,084.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	160	D	\$ 30.11	94,924.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S(1)	360	D	\$ 30.1	94,564.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	360	D	\$ 30.09	94,204.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	180	D	\$ 30.08	94,024.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	678	D	\$ 30.07	93,346.8847	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	05/07/2007	S(1)	339	D	\$ 30.06	93,007.8847	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 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)	Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Applied Biosystems Group Employee Stock Options-Right to Buy	\$ 17.98	05/07/2007		M	16,000	02/06/2002	06/26/2007	Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock
Applied Biosystems Group Employee Stock Options-Right to Buy	\$ 17.98	05/07/2007		M	5,044	06/26/2000	06/26/2007	Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock
Celera Group Employee Stock Options-Right to Buy	\$ 7.33	05/07/2007		M	4,000	02/06/2002	06/26/2007	Celera Group Common Stock
Celera Group Employee Stock Options-Right to Buy	\$ 7.3326	05/07/2007		M	1,262	06/26/2000	06/26/2007	Celera Group Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Reporting Owners 5

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SAWCH WILLIAM B APPLERA CORPORATION 301 MERRITT 7 NORWALK, CT 06851-1070

Sr. V.P. and General Counsel

Signatures

/s/ Thomas P. Livingston, Attorney-In-Fact for William B.
Sawch

05/09/2007

**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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