APPLERA CORP

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * AYERS RICHARD H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APPLERA CORP [ABI/CRA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)				
APPLERA CORPORATION, 301 MERRITT 7		ON, 301	(Month/Day/Year) 02/07/2007	_X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
NORWALK	CT 06851-1	070	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				

NORWALK, CT 06851-1070

(City)	(State) (Z	ip) Table	I - Non-De	rivative S	ecurit	ties Acqui	ired, Disposed of	or Beneficial	ly 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. Secur. or (A) or D (Instr. 3,	(A)	ed of (D)	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	02/07/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	29	D	\$ 33.14	6,542	D	
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	02/07/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	14	D	\$ 33.13	6,528	D	
Applied Biosystems	02/07/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	25	D	\$ 33.12	6,503	D	

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Group Common Stock							
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	02/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	20	D	\$ 33.11	6,483	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	02/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	20	D	\$ 33.1	6,463	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	02/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	17	D	\$ 33.09	6,446	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	02/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	22	D	\$ 33.08	6,424	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	02/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	12	D	\$ 33.07	6,412	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	02/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	4	D	\$ 33.06	6,408	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	02/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	4	D	\$ 33.04	6,404	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	02/07/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	4	D	\$ 33	6,400	D
Applied Biosystems Group	02/07/2007	S(1)	4	D	\$ 32.99	6,396	D

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Common Stock

Applied Biosystems

Group 02/07/2007 $S_{\underline{1}}^{(1)}$ 4 D $\frac{\$}{32.96}$ 6,392 D

Common Stock

Applied By
Biosystems Suzanne

Group 23,824 I L. Ayers
Common Living
Stock Trust (2)

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)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

AYERS RICHARD H APPLERA CORPORATION 301 MERRITT 7 NORWALK, CT 06851-1070

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/s/ Thomas P. Livingston, Attorney-in-Fact for Richard H.
Ayers

02/09/2007

**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.
- (2) The reporting person is a co-trustee of the Suzanne L. Ayers Living Trust, a trust for the benefit of the reporting person's wife.

Remarks:

This is the second of two forms being filed by the reporting person on February 9, 2007.

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