INVITROGEN CORP

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Miller John L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

(Ctata)

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below)

(Check all applicable)

1600 FARADAY AVENUE

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

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

05/17/2007

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(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

CARLSBAD, CA 92008

(City)	(State) (Zip)	Table I -	Non-Deriv	vative Secu	rities	Acquired	l, 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Non-Qualified Stock Option	05/15/2007		A	28,000	A	\$ 71.74	2,800	D	
Restricted Stock Unit (2)	05/15/2007		A	2,750	A	\$ 71.74	2,750	D	
Performance Shares (3)	05/15/2007		A	2,750	A	\$ 71.74	2,750	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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date		4.	5. ionNumber	6. Date Exerc		7. Tit		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	.		Under	rlying	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Miller John L

1600 FARADAY AVENUE SVP - BioDiscovery

CARLSBAD, CA 92008

Signatures

/s/ Joseph W. Secondine, Jr. (POA) 05/17/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) Non-Qualified Stock Options: Exercisable Date Option vesting is over a four year period, vesting 25% on each anniversary of the grant date, contingent upon continued service to Invitrogen.
- Restricted Share Units:Exercisable Date Options are exercisable upon vesting after a three year period contingent upon continued (2) service to the company.Expiration Date Once vested, Restricted Share Units do not expire. They can be converted into shares of Invitrogen stock on the vest date.
- (3) Performance Shares:Exercisable Date Shares are exercisable based on a target stock price.Expiration Date Unvested Performance Shares expire on November 30, 2008.

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