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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MCALEER JEROME F

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

INVERNESS MEDICAL INNOVATIONS INC [IMA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2010

51 SAWYER ROAD, SUITE 200

(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

below) below)

VP, Research & Development

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

WALTHAM, MA 02453

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

Code (Instr. 8)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership Form: Direct (T) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 61.49	02/28/2010(1)		A		75,000		(2)	02/28/2020	Common Stock	75,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Fg	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
MCALEER JEROME F 51 SAWYER ROAD, SUITE 200 WALTHAM, MA 02453	X		VP, Research & Development					

Signatures

/s/ Jay McNamara, Attorney in Fact 03/02/2010

**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).
- This option was previously reported as granted 12/31/2009 based on a preliminary recommendation by the compensation committee. The compensation committee together with the other independent members of the board of directors approved the grant effective 02/28/2010. The option is exercisable at a significant premium to current fair market value.
- (2) This option becomes exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning 2/28/2011.
- (3) This derivative security does not have a price.

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