INVITROGEN CORP

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A BENCHIMO	_		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			INVITROGEN CORP [IVGN]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
1600 FARADAY AVENUE			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
			05/14/2007	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
				SVP R&D		
	(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		
CARLSBAD, CA 92008				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zin)				

(City)	(State) (Table Table	I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securi n(A) or Di			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	• •	any	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		(A) or		Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(mstr. 5 and 1)		
Common Stock	05/14/2007		F(1)	893	D	\$ 71.55	19,982	D	
Common Stock	05/14/2007		M	2,500	A	\$0	22,482	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. H Der Sec (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Share Units	\$ 0	05/14/2007		M	2,500	05/14/2007	(2)	Common Stock	2,500	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BENCHIMOL CLAUDE 1600 FARADAY AVENUE CARLSBAD, CA 92008			SVP R&D				

Signatures

Claude D

Benchimol 05/16/2007 **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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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) Shares held to pay taxes on fully vested RSU grant.
- (2) Once vested, restricted share units do not expire. They can be converted into shares of Invitrogen common stock upon the vest date.

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