

IRIDEX CORP

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SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting
Person *

Â Mackaness James H
(Last) (First) (Middle)

1212 TERRA BELLA AVENUE
(Street)

MOUNTAIN
VIEW,Â CAÂ 94043
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)
01/02/2008

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
IRIDEX CORP [IRIX]

4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer ___ Other
(give title below) (specify below)
Chief Financial Officer

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group
Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting
Person
___ Form filed by More than One
Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership
Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially
owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative
Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and
Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)

Date Exercisable Expiration
Date

3. Title and Amount of
Securities Underlying
Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

Title Amount or
Number of
Shares

4. Conversion
or Exercise
Price of
Derivative
Security

5. Ownership
Form of
Derivative
Security:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)

6. Nature of Indirect
Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Stock Option Right to Buy ⁽¹⁾ 01/02/2009⁽²⁾ 01/02/2015 Common Stock 80,000 \$ 2.49 D Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Mackaness James H 1212 TERRA BELLA AVENUE MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043	Â	Â	Â Chief Financial Officer	Â

Signatures

s/s James H. Mackaness 01/03/2008

^{**}Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) This option was granted pursuant to IRIDEX Corporation's incentive 1998 Stock Plan and is exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3.
- (2) The shares shall vest as follows: 12/48ths of the shares shall vest 12 months after the Vesting Commencement Date and 1/48th of the shares shall vest each month thereafter.

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