

SLAYMAN CAROLYN W  
Form 4  
August 03, 2007

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SLAYMAN CAROLYN W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

APPLERA CORPORATION, 301  
MERRITT 7

(Street)

NORWALK, CT 06851-1070

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
APPLERA CORP [ABI/CRA]

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

08/01/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

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

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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	08/01/2007		S <sup>(1)</sup>	119 D \$ 30.69	14,062	D	
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	08/01/2007		S <sup>(1)</sup>	36 D \$ 30.68	14,026	D	
Applied Biosystems	08/01/2007		S <sup>(1)</sup>	127 D \$ 30.67	13,899	D	

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Group Common Stock							
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	08/01/2007	S <sup>(1)</sup>	28	D	\$ 30.66	13,871	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	08/01/2007	S <sup>(1)</sup>	64	D	\$ 30.65	13,807	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	08/01/2007	S <sup>(1)</sup>	68	D	\$ 30.64	13,739	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	08/01/2007	S <sup>(1)</sup>	60	D	\$ 30.63	13,679	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	08/01/2007	S <sup>(1)</sup>	24	D	\$ 30.62	13,655	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	08/01/2007	S <sup>(1)</sup>	24	D	\$ 30.61	13,631	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	08/01/2007	S <sup>(1)</sup>	72	D	\$ 30.6	13,559	D
Applied Biosystems Group Common Stock	08/01/2007	S <sup>(1)</sup>	12	D	\$ 30.59	13,547	D
Celera Group Common	08/01/2007	M	1,500	A	\$ 6.5525	5,517	D

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Stock

Celera  
Group  
Common  
Stock

08/01/2007

S<sup>(1)</sup>

40

D

\$ 12.14 5,477

D

Celera  
Group  
Common  
Stock

08/01/2007

S<sup>(1)</sup>

4

D

\$ 12.13 5,473

D

Celera  
Group  
Common  
Stock

08/01/2007

S<sup>(1)</sup>

91

D

\$ 12.11 5,382

D

Celera  
Group  
Common  
Stock

08/01/2007

S<sup>(1)</sup>

24

D

\$ 12.08 5,358

D

Celera  
Group  
Common  
Stock

08/01/2007

S<sup>(1)</sup>

82

D

\$ 12.07 5,276

D

Celera  
Group  
Common  
Stock

08/01/2007

S<sup>(1)</sup>

40

D

\$ 12.06 5,236

D

Celera  
Group  
Common  
Stock

08/01/2007

S<sup>(1)</sup>

80

D

\$ 12.05 5,156

D

Celera  
Group  
Common  
Stock

08/01/2007

S<sup>(1)</sup>

84

D

\$ 12.04 5,072

D

Celera  
Group  
Common  
Stock

08/01/2007

S<sup>(1)</sup>

80

D

\$ 12.03 4,992

D

Celera  
Group  
Common  
Stock

08/01/2007

S<sup>(1)</sup>

37

D

\$ 12.02 4,955

D

Celera  
Group  
Common  
Stock

08/01/2007

S<sup>(1)</sup>

80

D

\$ 12.01 4,875

D

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Celera Group Common Stock	08/01/2007	S <sup>(1)</sup>	39	D	\$ 12	4,836	D
Celera Group Common Stock	08/01/2007	S <sup>(1)</sup>	107	D	\$ 11.99	4,729	D
Celera Group Common Stock	08/01/2007	S <sup>(1)</sup>	44	D	\$ 11.98	4,685	D
Celera Group Common Stock	08/01/2007	S <sup>(1)</sup>	120	D	\$ 11.95	4,565	D
Celera Group Common Stock	08/01/2007	S <sup>(1)</sup>	28	D	\$ 11.92	4,537	D
Celera Group Common Stock	08/01/2007	S <sup>(1)</sup>	95	D	\$ 11.91	4,442	D
Celera Group Common Stock	08/01/2007	S <sup>(1)</sup>	36	D	\$ 11.9	4,406	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 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. Transaction 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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 6)
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					Amount or Number of Shares
		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Code	V	(A)	(D)		

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other
SLAYMAN CAROLYN W APPLERA CORPORATION 301 MERRITT 7 NORWALK, CT 06851-1070	X

## Signatures

/s/ Thomas P. Livingston, Attorney-in-Fact for Carolyn W. Slayman	08/03/2007
**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.

### Remarks:

This is the second of three forms being filed by the reporting person on August 3, 2007.

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