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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| Erfurth Jennifer (M | | | Date of Event equiring Statement lonth/Day/Year) 0/01/2012 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALIGN TECHNOLOGY INC [ALGN] | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------|---------------------|---|------------|---|---|------------------------------------|---|---|--|---|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ALIGN TECHNOLOGY, INC. | | | | | | | | 0% Owner | | 5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | |
| 2560 ORCHARD PARKWAY | | | | | X | Officer (give title below) VP, Global 1 | Other (specify below) | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | |
| (Street) SAN JOSE | CA | 95131 | | | | vi, diobili | | | X | | y More than One | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 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) | | ct (D) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) | | | | |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ex | | | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | | 3. Title and Amount of Securit Underlying Derivative Securit | | 4. Conver | cise | 5. Ownership Form: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) | |
| | | Date Exercisable | Expiratio Date | n Title | , | Amount or Number of Shares | Price of Derivative Security | | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned.

Roger E. George, Atty-in-Fact for Jennifer Erfurth

10/09/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person D

Date

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

- * 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).

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LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY - SECURITIES LAW COMPLIANCE The undersigned, as an officer or director of Align Technology, Inc. (the "Company"), hereby constitutes and appoints Roger E. George and Keneth B. Arola, and each of them, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent to complete and execute such Forms 144, Forms 3, 4 and 5 and other forms as such attorney shall in his discretion determine to be required or advisable pursuant to Rule 144 promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933 (as amended), Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (as amended) and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, or any successor laws and regulations, as a consequence of the undersigned's ownership, acquisition or disposition of securities of the Company, and to do all acts necessary in order to file such forms with the Securities and Exchange Commission, any securities exchange or national association, the Company and such other person or agency as the attorney shall deem appropriate. The undersigned hereby ratifies and confirms all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents shall do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

This Limited Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

This Limited Power of Attorney is executed at Mountain View, CA, as of the date set forth below.

/s/Jennifer M. Erfurth Jennifer M. Erfurth Dated: 10/03/12

Witness:
/s/Yvonne Valiquette
Yvonne Valiquette
Type or Print Name
Dated: 10/03/12

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