

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>DANAHER CORP /DE/</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>2099 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW</u> <u>12TH FLOOR</u> (Street) <u>WASHINGTON DC</u> <u>20006</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) <u>09/22/2009</u>	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ALIGN TECHNOLOGY INC [ALGN]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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)
<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>8,437,132⁽¹⁾</u>	<u>D</u>	

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)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			

Explanation of Responses:

1. On August 16, 2009, the Reporting Person entered into a Stock Purchase Agreement with the Issuer in connection with the settlement of certain litigation pursuant to which the Issuer would grant to the Reporting Person at no additional cost 7,586,489 fully paid and nonassessable shares of Issuer common stock (the "Shares"). With respect to the Shares, 5,561,489 were issued to the Reporting Person on August 17, 2009, and the balance of 2,025,000 (the "Second Tranche Shares") are to be issued to the Reporting Person upon receipt of clearance under the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act, as amended (the "HSR Act") and fulfillment of certain other conditions. The waiting period under the HSR Act expired at 11:59 p.m. (EDT) on September 21, 2009. On September 22, 2009 the Issuer issued the Second Tranche Shares to the Reporting Person.

Remarks:

James F. O'Reilly, Associate
General Counsel and Secretary 09/22/2009

** Signature of Reporting Person 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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