HEDGE LEN Form 4

December 17, 2008

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

HEDGE LEN

(City)

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

C/O ALIGN TECHNOLOGY INC, 881 MARTIN AVENUE

(Street)

(State)

SANTA CLARA, CA 95050

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ALIGN TECHNOLOGY INC [ALGN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, Operations

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 Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4) Reported (A)

Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount Price (D) Common \mathbf{C} \$0 12/15/2008 12/15/2008 7,500 Α 61,019 D Stock Common 12/15/2008 12/15/2008 F D 2,682 58,337 Stock

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. Transactic 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. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restriced Stock Unit	\$ 0.0001 (1)	12/15/2008	12/15/2008	C	7,500	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	7,500	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HEDGE LEN							
C/O ALIGN TECHNOLOGY INC			SVP,				
881 MARTIN AVENUE			Operations				
SANTA CLARA, CA 95050			_				

Signatures

Roger E. George, Atty-in-Fact for Len Hedge 12/17/2008

**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) Represents par value of ALGN common stock
- 1/4th of the restricted stock unit granted on December 14, 2007 became vested on December 14, 2008 and shares were delivered to the(2) reporting person on December 15, 2008. The restricted stock unit will continue to vest annually and vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on each vest date.

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