

ACCELERATE DIAGNOSTICS, INC

Reported by SCHULER JACK W

FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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SIC Code 3826 - Laboratory Analytical Instruments

Industry Advanced Medical Equipment & Technology

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person *														5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
SCHULER JACK W				A	Accelerate Diagnostics, Inc [AXDX]												
				3	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)								X Director			X 10% (
													Officer (giv	e title below	^{/)}	Other (sp	ecify below)
28161 N. KEITH DRIVE					8/21/2017												
(Street)					4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)								(Y) 6. Individual (6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)			
LAKE FOREST, IL 60045													X Form filed by	_X _ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(C	ity) (Sta	te) (Zi	p)													8	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans. Date			2. Trans.		2A. Deemed Execution		3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)						5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)			6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect
				Date, if any		(msu. 6)						(Instr. 3 and 4)			Form:	Beneficial	
																Direct (D) or Indirect	Ownership (Instr. 4)
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Pr	ice				(I) (Instr. 4)	,
Common Stock			8/21/20	17			P		37270	A		34 (1)	12552	175		I	By Jack W. Schuler Living Trust (3) (7)
Common Stock			8/21/20	17			P		12730	A	\$21.7	76 (2)	12564	905		I	By Jack W. Schuler Living Trust (3) (7)
Common Stock													9526	78		I	By Schuler Family Foundation (4) (7)
Common Stock													6893	55		I	By Schuler Grandchildren LLC (5) (7)
Common Stock													6893	555		I	By Schuler GC 2010 Continuation Trust (6) (7)
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																	
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	Date E		4. Tran (Instr.	Acq Disp				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date			Securi Deriva	e and Amount of ities Underlying ative Security 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) 8. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned	Owne Form Deriva Securi	Beneficial Ownership ty: (Instr. 4)	
	Security			Code	e V	V (A) (D)))	Date Expiration Date		Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	or Ind	irect	

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$20.70 to \$21.68, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Accelerate Diagnostics, Inc., any shareholder of Accelerate Diagnostics, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range.
- (2) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$21.70 to \$21.80, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Accelerate Diagnostics, Inc., any shareholder of Accelerate Diagnostics, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range.
- (3) Mr. Schuler has sole voting and dispositive power with respect to such shares in his capacity as trustee of the Jack W. Schuler Living Trust.
- (4) Mr. Schuler has sole voting and dispositive power with respect to such shares in his capacity as President of the Schuler Family Foundation.
- (5) Mr. Schuler has sole voting and dispositive power with respect to such shares in his capacity as manager of Schuler Grandchildren LLC.
- (6) Mr. Schuler has shared voting and dispositive power with respect to such shares in his capacity as the grantor of Schuler GC 2010 Continuation Trust.
- (7) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and the inclusion of these shares in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all of the reported shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

Reporting Owners

Paperting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
SCHULER JACK W								
28161 N. KEITH DRIVE	X	X						
LAKE FOREST, IL 60045								

Signatures

/s/ David Hinnant, attorney-in-fact

**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 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).

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