

UPRICHARD DAVID C

Form 4

December 16, 2010

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 *

UPRICHARD DAVID C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

5791 VAN ALLEN WAY

(Street)

CARLSBAD, CA 92008

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Life Technologies Corp [LIFE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

12/14/2010

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 (A) 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)
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	12/14/2010	12/14/2010	M	500	A \$ 35.53	1,300	D
Common Stock ⁽²⁾	12/14/2010	12/14/2010	S	100	D \$ 54.56	1,200	D
Common Stock ⁽²⁾	12/14/2010	12/14/2010	S	400	D \$ 54.5638	800	D
Common Stock ⁽³⁾	12/14/2010	12/14/2010	S	100	D \$ 54.51	700	D
Common Stock ⁽³⁾	12/15/2010	12/15/2010	S	200	D \$ 55	500	D
	12/15/2010	12/15/2010	M	500	A \$ 35.53	1,000	D

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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. P Der Sec (Ins
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options (1)	\$ 35.53	12/14/2010	12/14/2010	M	500	04/21/2006	04/21/2015	Common Stock	500	
Stock Options (1)	\$ 35.53	12/15/2010	12/15/2010	M	500	04/21/2006	04/21/2015	Common Stock	500	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
UPRICHARD DAVID C 5791 VAN ALLEN WAY CARLSBAD, CA 92008	X

Signatures

/s/ David L.
Szekeres, POA 12/16/2010

 **Signature of Reporting
Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Options Exercised from Grant #11256

(2) Sale of Common Stock from Exercise of Grant #11256

(3) Sale of Common Stock

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