

INVERNESS MEDICAL INNOVATIONS INC

Form 3

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response... 0.5**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting
Person *

Â Russell Jon

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

12/08/2006

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

INVERNESS MEDICAL INNOVATIONS INC [IMA]

4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer5. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)51 SAWYER ROAD, SUITE
200

(Street)

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner☒ Officer ☐ Other

(give title below) (specify below)

VP, Finance

WALTHAM,Â MAÂ 02453

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

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)

Common Stock

752

D

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

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(Instr. 4)2. Date Exercisable and
Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)3. Title and Amount of
Securities Underlying
Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

Title

4. Conversion
or Exercise
Price of
Derivative
Security5. Ownership
Form of
Derivative
Security:
Direct (D)6. Nature of Indirect
Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (1)	10/31/2014	Common Stock	10,000	\$ 20.7	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (2)	07/25/2016	Common Stock	5,000	\$ 29.79	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Russell Jon 51 SAWYER ROAD, SUITE 200 WALTHAM,Â MAÂ 02453	Â	Â	Â VP, Finance	Â

Signatures

/s/ Jay McNamara, Attorney
in Fact 12/19/2006

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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- (1) This option became exercisable as to 2,500 shares on 11-1-2005 and 2,500 shares on 11-1-2006 and becomes exercisable as to the remaining 5,000 shares in two equal annual installments beginning on 11-1-2007.
- (2) This option becomes exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning 7-26-2007.

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Remarks:

ExhibitÂ 24Â -Â PowerÂ ofÂ Attorney

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