Puco Christopher C.
Form 3
December 14, 2012

FORM 3

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

OMB APPROVAL

OMB Number:	3235-0104
Expires:	January 31, 2005
Estimated average burden hours per 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 Puco Christopher C.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ALIGN TECHNOLOGY, INC.,Â 2560 ORCHARD PARKWAY

(Street)

SAN JOSE,Â CAÂ 94131

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)
12/05/2012

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
ALIGN TECHNOLOGY INC [ALGN]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_____ Director
_____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below)
_____ Other (specify below)
VP, No. American Sales

5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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 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)

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

SEC 1473 (7-02)

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

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 of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of			

				Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Right to Buy (Common Stock)	02/20/2010(1)	02/20/2019	Common Stock	1,459	$ 7.81	D	Â
Right to Buy (Common Stock)	02/20/2011(1)	02/20/2017	Common Stock	3,563	$ 17.94	D	Â
Restricted Stock Unit	02/20/2010(2)	02/20/2019	Common Stock	875	$ 0.0001 (3)	D	Â
Restricted Stock Unit	02/19/2011(2)	02/19/2017	Common Stock	1,500	$ 0.0001 (3)	D	Â
Restricted Stock Unit	02/18/2012(2)	02/18/2018	Common Stock	7,500	$ 0.0001 (3)	D	Â
Restricted Stock Unit	02/20/2013(2)	02/20/2019	Common Stock	8,400	$ 0.0001 (3)	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Puco Christopher C. C/O ALIGN TECHNOLOGY, INC. 2560 ORCHARD PARKWAY SAN JOSE,Â CAÂ 94131	Â	Â	Â VP, No. American Sales	Â

Signatures

Roger E. George, Atty-in-Fact for Christopher C. Puco	12/14/2012
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

***** 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).

(1) Represents an option in which 25% of the shares subject to the option became vested and exercisable one year after the date of grant and 1/48th of the shares subject to the option became vested and exercisable each month thereafter.

(2) 1/4th of the shares subject to the restricted stock unit became vested one year after the date of grant and 1/4th of the shares subject to the restricted stock unit become vested each year thereafter. Shares will be delivered to reporting person on each vest date.

(3) Represents par value of ALGN common stock.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *See* Instruction 6 for procedure.
Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.