INVERNESS MEDICAL INNOVATIONS INC Form SC 13G/A February 10, 2005

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

> > SCHEDULE 13G/A (Amendment No. 2)*

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Inverness Medical Innovations, Inc. (Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$0.001 par value (Title of Class of Securities)

46126P106 (CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2004 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- |X| Rule 13d-1(b)
- |_| Rule 13d-1(c)
- |_| Rule 13d-1(d)

*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

CUSI	P No. 46126P106		
1.	NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)		
	Perry Corp.		
2.	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*		
		(a) (b)	_ _

3. SEC USE ONLY

4.	CITIZENSH	 IP 0	R PLACE OF ORGANIZATION			
	New York					
NU	MBER OF	5.	SOLE VOTING POWER			
S	HARES		1,614,041			
BENEFICIALLY		6.	SHARED VOTING POWER			
OWNED BY			NONE			
EACH		7.	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER			
REPORTING			1,614,041			
PERSON		8.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER			
	WITH		NONE			
9.	AGGREGATE	AMO	UNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON			
	1,614,041					
10.			THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*			
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11.	PERCENT O	F CL	ASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)			
	7.92%					
12.	TYPE OF RI	EPOR	TING PERSON*			
	IA, CO					
			*SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!			
CUSI	P No. 4612	6P10	6			
1.			TING PERSONS FICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)			
	Richard C. Perry					
2.	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*					
			(a) _ (b) _			
3.	SEC USE OI	NLY				
4.	CITIZENSH	IP O	R PLACE OF ORGANIZATION			

United	d States			
NUMBER OF	F 5. SOLE VOTING POWER			
SHARES	1,614,041 (all shares beneficially owned by Perry Corp.)(1)			
BENEFICIAL	LY 6. SHARED VOTING POWER			
OWNED BY	NONE			
EACH	7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER			
REPORTING	1,614,041 (all shares beneficially owned by Perry Corp.)(1)			
PERSON	8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER NONE			
WITH				
9. AGGRE	GATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON			
1,614,	,041(1)			
10. CHECK	BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*			
	1_1			
11. PERCEN	NT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)			
7.92%				
12. TYPE (DF REPORTING PERSON*			
IN, HO	C			
	*SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!			
Commo parti	ard Perry disclaims any beneficial ownership interest of the shares o on Stock held by any funds for which Perry Corp. acts as the general ner and/or investment adviser, except for that portion of such shares relates to his economic interest in such shares.			
ITEM 1(a).	NAME OF ISSUER:			
	Inverness Medical Innovations, Inc.			
ITEM 1(b).	ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL PLACE EXECUTIVE OFFICES:			
	51 Sawyer Road Suite 200 Waltham, MA 02453			
ITEM 2(a).	NAME OF PERSON FILING:			
	This statement is filed on behalf of Perry Corp., a New York corporation, and Richard C. Perry, an American citizen. Perry Corp. is a private investment firm, and Richard C. Perry is the President			

and sole stockholder of Perry Corp. Their agreement in writing to file this statement on behalf of each of them is attached as Exhibit

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A hereto.

This statement relates to shares held for the accounts of two or more private investment funds for which Perry Corp. acts as general partner and/or investment adviser.

ITEM 2(b). ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE OR, IF NONE, RESIDENCE:

599 Lexington Avenue New York, NY 10022

ITEM 2(c). CITIZENSHIP:

Perry Corp. is a New York corporation and Richard C. Perry is a citizen of the United States.

ITEM 2(d). TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES:

Common Stock, \$0.001 par value (the "Common Stock")

ITEM 2(e). CUSIP NUMBER:

46126P106

- ITEM 3. Perry Corp. is an investment adviser registered under Section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 and Richard C. Perry is a control person of Perry Corp.
- ITEM 4. OWNERSHIP:
 - (a) AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED:

1,614,041(1)

(b) PERCENT OF CLASS:

7.92%

- (c) NUMBER OF SHARES AS TO WHICH SUCH PERSON HAS:
 - (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote:

1,614,041(1)

- (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote:
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

1,614,041(1)

(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

ITEM 5. OWNERSHIP OF FIVE PERCENT OR LESS OF A CLASS:

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial

owner of more than 5 percent of the class of securities, check the following $\left[\right]$

ITEM 6. OWNERSHIP OF MORE THAN FIVE PERCENT ON BEHALF OF ANOTHER PERSON:

The limited partners of (or investors in) each of two or more private investment funds for which Perry Corp. acts as general partner and/or investment adviser have the right to participate in the receipt of dividends from, and proceeds from the sale of, the shares held for the accounts of such funds in accordance with their respective limited partnership interest (or investment percentages) in such funds.

ITEM 7. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSIDIARY WHICH ACQUIRED THE SECURITY BEING REPORTED ON BY THE PARENT HOLDING COMPANY:

See Exhibit B

- (1) Richard Perry disclaims any beneficial ownership interest of the shares of Common Stock held by any funds for which Perry Corp. acts as the general partner and/or investment adviser, except for that portion of such shares that relates to his economic interest in such shares.
- ITEM 8. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF MEMBERS OF THE GROUP:

Not Applicable

ITEM 9. NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF THE GROUP:

Not Applicable

ITEM 10. CERTIFICATION:

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

PERRY CORP.

Dated: February 9, 2005 New York, New York

By: /s/ Richard C. Perry

Name: Richard C. Perry Title: President

Dated: February 9, 2005 New York, New York

/s/ Richard C. Perry

Richard C. Perry

EXHIBIT A

AGREEMENT

JOINT FILING OF SCHEDULE 13G

The undersigned hereby agree to jointly prepare and file with regulatory authorities a Schedule 13G and any future amendments thereto reporting each of the undersigned's ownership of securities of Inverness Medical Innovations, Inc., and hereby affirm that such Schedule 13G is being filed on behalf of each of the undersigned pursuant to and in accordance with the provisions of Rule 13d-1(k) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The undersigned acknowledge that each shall be responsible for the timely filing of such amendments, and for the completeness and accuracy of the information concerning him or it contained therein, but shall not be responsible for the extent that he or it knows or has reason to believe that such information is inaccurate.

PERRY CORP.

Dated: February 9, 2005 New York, New York

By: /s/ Richard C. Perry

Name: Richard C. Perry Title: President

Dated: February 9, 2005 New York, New York

/s/ Richard C. Perry

Richard C. Perry

EXHIBIT B

ITEM 7

Perry Corp. is the relevant entity for which Richard C. Perry may be considered a control person.

Perry Corp. is an investment adviser registered under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940.