

CombiMatrix Corp  
Form SC TO-T/A  
September 28, 2017

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

**Amendment No. 1**

**to**

**SCHEDULE TO**

**(Rule 14d-100)**

**Tender Offer Statement under Section 14(d)(1) or 13(e)(1)**

**of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**CombiMatrix Corporation**

**(Name of Subject Company (Issuer))**

**Invitae Corporation**

**(Name of Filing Person (Offeror))**

**Series F Warrants to Purchase Common Stock, Par Value \$0.001 Per Share**

**(Title of Class of Securities)**

**20009T147**

**(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)**

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Rule 13e-4(i) (Cross-Border Issuer Tender Offer)

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This Amendment No. 1 (this Amendment) amends and supplements the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO (as amended, the Schedule TO) originally filed by Invitae Corporation, a Delaware corporation (Invitae) on September 13, 2017. This Schedule TO relates to the offer by Invitae to exchange (the Exchange Offer) each outstanding Series F warrant (the CombiMatrix Series F Warrants) to acquire shares of common stock of CombiMatrix Corporation (CombiMatrix) for shares of common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share, of Invitae (the Invitae Common Stock).

On September 28, 2017, Invitae filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) Amendment No. 1 to its registration statement on Form S-4 (File No. 333-220448) (as amended, the Registration Statement), relating to the Exchange Offer. The terms and conditions of the Exchange Offer, as well as a description of Invitae and other information required by Schedule TO, are set forth in the prospectus/offer to exchange which is part of the Registration Statement, and the related Letter of Transmittal, which is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to the Registration Statement.

Pursuant to the Exchange Offer, each CombiMatrix Series F Warrant validly tendered and not withdrawn in the Exchange Offer will be exchanged for a number of shares of Invitae Common Stock (the Warrant Exchange Ratio) equal to 0.3056, which was calculated as the quotient (rounded to the nearest ten-thousandth) obtained by dividing \$2.90 by the average closing price of \$9.491 for shares of Invitae common stock on the NYSE for the immediately preceding period of 30 trading days prior to July 31, 2017, the date of the Agreement and Plan of Merger and Reorganization by and among Invitae, Coronado Merger Sub, Inc. and CombiMatrix.

#### **Items 1 through 9, and Item 11.**

All of the information in the prospectus/offer to exchange, and any prospectus supplement or other amendment or supplement thereto related to the Exchange Offer hereafter filed with the SEC by Invitae, is hereby incorporated by reference into Items 1 through 9 and 11 of this Schedule TO. This Amendment should be read together with the Schedule TO.

#### **Item 10. Financial Statements.**

The information set forth in the prospectus/offer to exchange under the sections entitled *Selected Historical Financial Data of Invitae*, *Selected Historical Financial Data of CombiMatrix*, *Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Information* and *Where You Can Find More Information* is incorporated herein by reference.

#### **Item 12. Exhibits.**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
(a)(1)(A)*	Form of Letter of Transmittal.
(a)(1)(B)*	Internal Revenue Service Form W-9 (included in Exhibit (a)(1)(A)).
(a)(1)(C)*	Form of Letter to Brokers, Dealers, Commercial Banks, Trust Companies and Other Nominees.
(a)(1)(D)*	Form of Letter to Clients.
(a)(1)(E)*	Form of Notice of Guaranteed Delivery.
(a)(2)	Not applicable.
(a)(3)	Not applicable.

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- (a)(4)\* Prospectus/Offer to Exchange relating to shares of common stock of Invitae Corporation to be issued in the Exchange Offer (incorporated by reference to Amendment No. 1 to Invitae's Registration Statement on Form S-4 filed with the SEC on September 28, 2017).
- (a)(5) Not applicable.
- (b) Not applicable.
- (d)(1)\* Agreement and Plan of Merger and Reorganization, dated as of July 31, 2017, by and among Invitae Corporation, Coronado Merger Sub, Inc. and CombiMatrix Corporation (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.1 to Invitae's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on August 1, 2017, and included as Annex A to Exhibit (a)(4)).
- (d)(2)\* Form of Transaction Bonus Payout Agreement, dated as of July 31, 2017, entered into by and among CombiMatrix Corporation, Invitae Corporation and each of the outside directors of CombiMatrix.

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
(d)(3)*	Transaction Bonus Payout Agreement, dated as of July 31, 2017, by and among Invitae Corporation, CombiMatrix Corporation and Mark McDonough.
(d)(4)*	Transaction Bonus Payout Agreement, dated as of July 31, 2017, by and among Invitae Corporation, CombiMatrix Corporation and Scott R. Burell.
(d)(5)*	Independent Contractor Agreement, effective as of the closing of the Merger, by and between Invitae Corporation and Mark McDonough.
(d)(6)*	Independent Contractor Agreement, effective as of the closing of the Merger, by and between Invitae Corporation and Scott R. Burell.
(d)(7)*	Marketing and Laboratory Services Agreement, dated as of September 25, 2017, by and among Invitae Corporation, Good Start Genetics, Inc. and CombiMatrix Molecular Diagnostics, Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to Invitae's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on September 27, 2017).
(g)	Not applicable.
(h)(i)*	Legal Opinion of Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP regarding tax matters.
(h)(ii)*	Legal Opinion of Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth, P.C. regarding tax matters.

\* Incorporated by reference to the Registration Statement.

**Item 13. Information Required By Schedule 13E-3.**

Not applicable.

**SIGNATURES**

After due 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.

**INVITAE CORPORATION**

Dated: September 28, 2017

By: /s/ Shelly D. Guyer  
Name: Shelly D. Guyer  
Title: Chief Financial Officer