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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
Kong Garheng			HOLDINGS [LH]	X	Director	10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 531 SOUTH SPRING STREET			()		Officer (give title	Other (specify		
		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2018		below)	below)		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
BURLINGTON	NC	27215		X	Form filed by One Repor	ting Person		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Person			
	 Ta	able I - Non-Deriva	tive Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefi	cially	Owned			

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Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (4. Securities Acquired (/ Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3 5)		Securities Beneficially	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(1150.4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transa Code (8)		of Deriva Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D)	of Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			ate Amount of			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	02/12/2018		Α		1,038		02/12/2019	(2)	Common Stock	1,038	\$ <mark>0</mark>	1,038 ⁽³⁾	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Each Restricted Stock Unit represents the contingent right to receive one share of Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings Common Stock.

2. The Restricted Stock Units vest fully on February 12, 2019.

3. This number reflects the aggregate number of Restricted Stock Units held by the reporting person.

<u>/s/ F. Samuel Eberts III,</u> <u>Attorney-in-Fact for Garheng</u> (<u>Kong</u>

02/14/2018

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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

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