FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Troub Allen W</u>					<u>L</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA HOLDINGS [ LH ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 430 SOUTH SPRING STREET					3. [	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2007								below)			below)	респу
(Street) BURLINGTON NC 27215  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line	ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tal	ole I - Non	ı-Deri	vativ	e Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Disp	osed o	f, or Ber	neficial	y Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D					Execution Date,		Execution Date, f any		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquired (A) or I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar		5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F	s ally following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
							Code	v	Amount	Amount (A) o		Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 02/20/				20/200	/2007		A		6,000 A		\$0	13,	13,268		D			
			Table II - I						uired, Di s, option					Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution I if any (Month/Day	ate,	4. Transa Code (I 8)		of		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		of Secu		g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Non- qualified Stock	\$80.37	02/20/2007			A		30,000		02/20/2008	(2)	02/20/2017	Common Stock	30,000	\$80.37	30,00	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Employee stock option (right to buy) granted pursuant to the Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings 2000 Stock Incentive Plan.
- 2. The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on the date reflected in this column.

## Remarks:

By: /s/ BRADFORD T.

SMITH, Attorney-in-Fact for
Allen W. Troub

\*\* 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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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