FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* LANE WENDY E (Last) (First) (Middle) 531 SOUTH SPRING STREET (Street) BURLINGTON NC 27215 (City) (State) (Zip)					3. D 05/3	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA HOLDINGS [LH] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/24/2012 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Check X	Officer (give title below) Other (specification) Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Application)				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transar Date (Month/Date						Day/Year) if a		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A ed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and Secu		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)		Trans		action(s) 3 and 4)			()
Common Stock 05						1/2012					1,800)	A	\$	S <mark>O</mark>	15,937			D	
Common Stock																400			I	By Trust For Children
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	vative Conversion Date Execution Date, irity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any				4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			Deri Sec	vative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	(Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Nun of Sha	ber							

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ F. Samuel Eberts III,

Attorney-in-Fact for Wendy E. 05/29/2012

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** Signature of Reporting Person

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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