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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WEIKEL M KEITH (Last) (First) (Middle) 333 NORTH SUMMIT STREET 16TH FLOOR					LA	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA HOLDINGS [LH]									Check all ap	pplicable) ector	ng Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner			
					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)										Officer (give title below)		Other (spec below)			
(Street) TOLEDO			13604 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									S. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acq	uired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	efici	ally Owr	ed				
D I This or Security (means)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ar) i	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Secu Dispose 5)		Disposed	rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			nd Secu Bene	ficially ed 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)	Price	Trans	action(s) . 3 and 4)			(111301. 4)					
Common	non Stock 07/31/2003 A 26 ⁽¹⁾ A \$31.2 1,355 ⁽²⁾							D												
Common	Stock		08/01/2003 A 53 ⁽¹⁾ A \$31.2 1,408 ⁽²⁾ D																	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	nversion Exercise ce of rivative	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,		Transaction Code (Instr.		of Derivative (Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Date Exercis. Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ount	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	n: ct (D) direct	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Stock award represents half the monthly Director retainer pursuant to the Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings 1995 Stock Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- 2. Amount shown reflects a 2-for-1 stock split effective on May 10, 2002.

/s/ Bradford T. Smith,

Attorney-in-Fact for M. Keith 08/04/2003

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** 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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