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* <u>Fonseca Lidia</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA HOLDINGS [LH]									Check	all app	p of Reportin blicable) ctor er (give title	g Perso	10% C		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 531 SOUTH SPRING STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/09/2012										X	belov	v)	nation	below) tion Officer		
(Street) BURLINGTON NC 27215 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Indivine) X	·					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transar Date (Month/Da						Execution D		n Date,	Code (Transaction Code (Instr. 5		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			4 and Secu Bene Own		cially d 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		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111511.4)		
Common Stock 02/09/							2012				172		D	\$92	2.11		5,153		D		
Common Stock 02/09/						2012		F ⁽¹⁾		124		D	\$92	.11	5,029			D			
Common Stock 02/10/							2012		F ⁽¹⁾		174		D	\$90	0.03		4,855		D		
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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. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transactior Code (Instr B)		n of		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Date	е	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst and 4)		str. 3	Deri Seci	Price of ivative curity etr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 4)	Ow For Dir or (I)	vnership rm: rect (D) Indirect (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
		Code		v	(A)	(D)			Expiration Date	Title	or	ount nber ires									

Explanation of Responses:

 $1. \ Stock \ withholding \ to \ satisfy \ tax \ and \ withholding \ obligations.$

/s/ F. Samuel Eberts III, Attorney-in-Fact for Lidia 02/13/2012 **Fonseca**

** 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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