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 Addres	ss of Reporting Person	ı*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA HOLDINGS [ LH ]		lationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer ck all applicable)  Director 10% Owner					
(Last) 430 SOUTH SPI	(First) RING STREET	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/28/2008	X	Officer (give title below)  President & CI	Other (specify below)				
(Street) BURLINGTON (City)	NC (State)	27215 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filing ( Form filed by One Report Form filed by More than ( Person	ing Person				

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Tal	ble I - Non-Derivative S	Securities Acq	uired	, Dis	posed of,	or Ben	eficially	Owned		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Disposed Of 5)	Acquired f (D) (Instr.	(A) or . 3, 4 and	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(111311.4)
Common Stock	05/28/2008		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$74.82	73,972.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$74.81	73,772.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$74.8	73,572.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$74.97	73,472.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$74.79	73,372.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		400	D	\$74.78	72,972.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		500	D	\$74.77	72,472.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$74.76	72,272.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		300	D	\$74.75	71,972.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		400	D	\$74.74	71,572.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$74.73	71,472.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		400	D	\$74.72	71,072.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$74.71	70,972.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$74.7	70,872.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$74.69	70,672.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$74.68	70,472.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$74.66	70,372.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$74.61	70,272.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		300	D	\$74.6	69,972.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$74.58	69,872.0365 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$74.56	69,772.0365 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		300	D	\$74.52	69,472.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		300	D	\$74.51	69,172.0365 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		500	D	\$74.5	68,672.0365 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$74.49	68,472.0365 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$74.48	68,272.0365 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$74.47	68,172.0365 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$74.45	68,072.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$74.43	67,872.0365(2)	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$74.41	67,772.0365 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	

	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Price of Derivativ														
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	titve Conversion or Exercise (Month/Day/Year)  3) Price of Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficially	Ownership Form: Direct (D)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Pursuant to a plan in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
- 2. Amount shown reflects a 2-for-1 stock split effective on May 10, 2002.

By: /s/ BRADFORD T.

05/30/2008 SMITH, Attorney-in-Fact for

David P. King

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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