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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Cook Woodrow L)* 	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA</u> <u>HOLDINGS</u> [LH]		tionship of Reporting Person(all applicable) Director Officer (give title below)	10% Owner Other (specify below)
(Last) 430 SOUTH SPR	st) (First) O SOUTH SPRING STREET		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/29/2007		EVP, Eastern Opera	
(Street) BURLINGTON (City)	BURLINGTON NC 27215		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Cl Form filed by One Reportin Form filed by More than Or Person	ng Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Disposed Of	Acquired (D) (Instr.	(A) or 3, 4 and 5)	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	Amount (A) or (D)		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(instr. 4)
Common Stock	10/29/2007		М		14,600	A	\$24.46	27,135(1)	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		М		2,900	Α	\$28.18	30,035(1)	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		S		600	D	\$68.44	29,435 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		S		100	D	\$68.43	29,335 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		S		300	D	\$68.42	29,035(1)	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		S		1,600	D	\$68.41	27,435 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		S		300	D	\$68.39	27,135 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		S		2,000	D	\$68.31	25,135(1)	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		S		100	D	\$ 68 .3	25,035	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		S		7,600	D	\$68.25	17,435(1)	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		S		3,400	D	\$68.26	14,035(1)	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		S		1,100	D	\$68.27	12,935 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		S		300	D	\$68.29	12,635 ⁽²⁾	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		S		100	D	\$68.28	12,535(1)	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		of Deri Secu Acq (A) c Disp of (E	umber vative urities uired or oosed D) (Instr. and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Non- qualified Stock Options ⁽³⁾	\$24.46	10/29/2007		М			14,600	02/19/2004 ⁽²⁾	02/19/2013	Common Stock	14,600	\$24.46	0.0000	D	
Non- qualified Stock Options ⁽⁴⁾	\$28.18	10/29/2007		М			2,900	03/25/2004 ⁽²⁾	03/25/2013	Common Stock	2,900	\$28.18	0.0000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Amount shown reflects a 2-for-1 stock split effective on May 10, 2002.

2. The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on the date reflected in this column.

3. Common stock purchase option granted under the 1994 Stock Option Plan.

4. Common stock purchase option granted under the Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings 2000 Stock Incentive Plan.

Remarks:

<u>SMITH, Attorney-in-Fact for</u> <u>Woodrow L. Cook</u>

** 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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