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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WEIKEL M KEITH					LA	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA HOLDINGS [LH]										all app Direc		g Pers	10% C	Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 333 NORTH SUMMIT STREET 16TH FLOOR					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/01/2004											Officer (give title below)		Other (specify below)		
(Street) TOLEDO			13604 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Indivi ne) X	Form	r Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable n filed by One Reporting Person n filed by More than One Reporting on				
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Common Stock 06/01/3					/2004	2004			A		41 ⁽¹⁾ A \$		\$39.	99	3,155		D			
	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)	erivative Conversion Date Execution Date, ecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		4. Transa Code (I 8)		5. Num of Derive Secur Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr.	ative rities ired osed	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			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)	vnership orm: rect (D) Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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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.

/s/ Bradford T. Smith,

06/03/2004 Attorney-in-Fact for M. Keith

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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).
- ** 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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