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 Address of Reporting Person*  WALLACE ANDREW G					LA	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA HOLDINGS [ LH ]									ck all app Dired	olicable) ctor		Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 430 S SPRING STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/02/2003									belov	er (give title w)	Othe belo	r (specify v)		
(Street) BURLIN (City)	GTON N		27215 Zip)		4. If <i>i</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Incline)	Forn	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person					
		Tabl	e I - Nor	า-Deriva	ative	Sec	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or l	Bene	ficiall	y Own	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da					Execution Da			, Transaction Disp Code (Instr. 5)		Disposed	ecurities Acquired (A) posed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			Secur Benef	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									Code	v	Amount	(A (D	) or )	Price	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 09/02				2003		A		54(1)	A \$		\$30.65	14,529 <sup>(2)</sup>		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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Inst				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		De Se (Ir	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	e derivative	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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## Explanation of Responses:

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

/s/ Bradford T. Smith,

Attorney-in-Fact for Andrew

G. Wallace

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

09/04/2003

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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