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* KING DAVID P						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA HOLDINGS [LH]								(Chec	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) 531 SOU	(Fi TH SPRIN	rst) (G STREET		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/29/2017								X	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & CEO						
(Street) BURLINGTON NC 27215				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)												Pers	son			
Table I - Non-Deriv 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)			ction	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			or	5. Amo Securi Benefi	ount of ties cially I 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		ice		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common	Stock			03/29/	2017	:017			A ⁽¹⁾		102,200	A		\$ <mark>0</mark>	246,	954.6154	D		
Common Stock 03/29/2					2017	017			F ⁽²⁾		48,596	D	\$	143.19	198,	358.6154	D		
Common Stock															1	6,942	I	By grantor retained annuity trust	
Common Stock														3	1,601	I	By grantor retained annuity trust		
Common Stock															10,314		I	By grantor retained annuity trust	
		Та	ıble II -								osed of, convertib				wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Title of 2. 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed Execution Date Execution Date, if any			4. Transa	5. Number of Derivative			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. F Der Sec (Ins	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	ve derivative Securities	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date		Amou or Numb of Share	er					

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares acquired on March 29, 2017, pursuant to a performance award granted on February 11, 2014, relating to performance during the three-year period ended December 31, 2016.
- 2. Stock withholding to satisfy tax withholding obligations.

/s/ F. Samuel Eberts III,

03/31/2017 Attorney-in-Fact for David P.

Date

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** Signature of Reporting Person

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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