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*  Brecher Mark E				<u>L</u>	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol     LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA     HOLDINGS [ LH ]      One of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)     02/12/2013								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to I (Check all applicable)  Director 10% 0  Officer (give title Other				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 531 SOUTH SPRING STREET												^ below	below) below)  Chief Medical Officer				
(Street) BURLIN (City)	IGTON 1		27215 (Zip)	4.	If Ame	ndment,	Date	of Original F	iled (	(Month/D	ay/Year)	6. Lir	X Form	filed by One	Reporting F	erson	Э
		Tab	le I - Non-De	erivativ	e Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired, D	Disp	osed o	of, or Be	neficia	Ily Owne	d			$\dashv$
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		7	able II - Der (e.g					uired, Dis s, options					y Owned	<u>,                                      </u>		·	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	Code (Ins				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Ins	ship of Ind Benef (D) Owne ect (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		piration	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	02/12/2013		A		1,640		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	1,640	\$0	1,640	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Each restricted stock unit represents the contingent right to receive one share of Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings Common Stock.
- 2. The Restricted Stock Units vest in three equal installments beginning on 2/12/2014.

/s/ F. Samuel Eberts III,

Attorney-in-Fact for Mark E. 02/14/2013

**Brecher** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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