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## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Addres Boyle James | 1 0  | on*   | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA</u><br><u>HOLDINGS</u> [ LH ] |                   | tionship of Reporting Persor<br>( all applicable)<br>Director<br>Officer (give title | n(s) to Issuer<br>10% Owner<br>Other (specify |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|--|-------|--|-------------------|--|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| (Last)<br>531 SOUTH SPI        |  |       | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>02/11/2013   |                   | below)<br>EVP, Chief Operating   | below)<br>g Officer                           |  |  |  |  |  |
| (Street)                       |  |       | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)   | 6. Indiv<br>Line) | /idual or Joint/Group Filing ((  | Check Applicable                              |  |  |  |  |  |
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|                                | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |       |  |                   |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Code (                  | Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and Code (Instr. 5) |        | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported | Form: Direct | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |   |          |
|---------------------------------|--|---|-------------------------|--|--------|---|--------------|---|---|----------|
|                                 |  |   | Code                    | v  | Amount | (A) or<br>(D)   | Price        | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)                                |   | (1150.4) |
| Common Stock                    | 02/11/2013                                 |   | <b>F</b> <sup>(1)</sup> |  | 697    | D   | \$90.06      | 33,562  | D |          |
| Common Stock                    | 02/11/2013                                 |   | <b>F</b> <sup>(1)</sup> |  | 601    | D   | \$90.06      | 32,961  | D |          |

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

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | of Exp |     | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration Da<br>(Month/Day/Y | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative<br>Security (Instr. 3<br>and 4) |       | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--------|-----|--|---|-------|---|--|--|--|--|
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A)    | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable                            | Expiration<br>Date  | Title | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares              |  |  |  |  |

**Explanation of Responses:** 

1. Stock withholding to satisfy tax and withholding obligations.

## /s/ F. Samuel Eberts III,

02/13/2013

attorney-in-fact for James T.

**Boyle** 

\*\* 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).

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