FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA  HOLDINGS [ LH ]	5. Relationship of F (Check all applicat Director	10%	Olssuer  Owner

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Dodson Edward T				L.A	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA HOLDINGS [ LH ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify					wner	
(Last) 213 MA	(F PLE AVEN	•	(Middle)	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/07/2018							X	below	below)  Principal Accou		below)	
(Street) BURLIN (City)	IGTON N		27215 (Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Indi Line) X	Form Form	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uriti	es Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed	of, or B	enefic	ially	Owne	d			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea		ion 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		Deemed cution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A)			or 5. Amount of		Form (D) or	n: Direct r Indirect sstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) oi (D)	Price	I Tuomanan		tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock			02/07	/2018				М		246	A	(	1)	5,314	4.9891 <sup>(2)</sup>		D		
Common Stock 02/			02/07	2018		F <sup>(3)</sup>		92	D	\$169.66		6 5,222.9891(2)			D				
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Derivative Conversion Date Security Or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	n Date, Transac Code (In		nsaction of E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)					8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er					
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	02/07/2018			M			246	(4)		(4)	Common Stock	246		\$0	1,794 <sup>(5</sup>	)	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. Amount includes 37.8767 shares acquired on December 31, 2017 under the Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings 2016 Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- 3. Stock withholding to satisfy tax withholding obligations.
- ${\it 4. The Restricted Stock Units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on 2/7/18.}$
- $5. \ This \ number \ reflects \ the \ aggregate \ number \ of \ Restricted \ Stock \ Units \ held \ by \ the \ reporting \ person.$

/s/ F. Samuel Eberts III, Attorney-in-Fact for Edward T. 02/09/2018 **Dodson** 

\*\* 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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