SEC Form 4	
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Restricted

Stock Unit

Options⁽⁴⁾

Nonqualified Stock (1)

\$168.49

Explanation of Responses:

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

	Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Induction	1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* KING DAVID P					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Street) BURLINGTON NC 27215 Image: City (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 3. Transaction (Signed City) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned 6. Ownership Form: Direct (I) (Instr. 4) 6. Ownership Form: Direct (I) (Instr. 4) 6. Ownership Form: Direct (I) (Instr. 4) 7. Nature-Instruction (Instr. 4) 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 3. Transaction (Signed City) 3. Transaction (Signed City) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (I) (Instr. 4) 6. Ownership Form: Direct (I) (Instr. 4) 6. Determine Form: Direct (I) (Instr. 4) 6. D															below)			below)	specify	
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Date Exercisable

(2)

02/12/2019⁽⁵⁾

Expiration Date

(2)

02/11/2028

Title

Common

Stock

Common

Stock

Employee stock option (right to buy) granted pursuant to the Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings 2016 Omnibus Incentive Plan.
 The option vests in three equal installments beginning on the date reflected in this column.

The Restricted Stock Units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on 2/12/2019.
 This number reflects the aggregate number of Restricted Stock Units held by the reporting person.

02/12/2018

02/12/2018

/s/ F. Samuel Eberts III, Attorney-in-Fact for David P. King

of

Shares

10.540

41,000

\$<mark>0</mark>

\$<mark>0</mark>

<u>d P.</u> <u>02/14/2018</u>

32,601⁽³⁾

41,000

D

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** 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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Code

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1. Each Restricted Stock Unit represents the contingent right to receive one share of Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings Common Stock.

(A)

10,540

41,000

(D)

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