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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Blaser Brian J				Symbol ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ABT]]	Issuer			
					ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ABT]					(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/24/2018						Director 10% Owner Selection Other (specify below) below) Executive Vice President			
(Street) ABBOTT PARK, IL 60064-6400				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					- -	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - Noi	n-D	erivative	Secui	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned	
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	r) Execution		Code (Instr. 8	8)	4. Securi n(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
	Common shares without par value	07/24/2018			S		200	D	\$ 63.885	151,718	D		
	Common shares without par value	07/24/2018			S		200	D	\$ 63.89	151,518	D		
	Common shares without par value	07/24/2018			S		100	D	\$ 63.9	151,418	D		

Common shares without par value	07/24/2018	S	200	D	\$ 63.905	151,218	D
Common shares without par value	07/24/2018	S	100	D	\$ 63.91	151,118	D
Common shares without par value	07/24/2018	S	300	D	\$ 63.915	150,818	D
Common shares without par value	07/24/2018	S	200	D	\$ 63.92	150,618	D
Common shares without par value	07/24/2018	S	100	D	\$ 63.925	150,518	D
Common shares without par value	07/24/2018	S	100	D	\$ 63.94	150,418	D
Common shares without par value	07/24/2018	S	484	D	\$ 63.945	149,934	D
Common shares without par value	07/24/2018	S	608	D	\$ 63.95	149,326	D
Common shares without par value	07/24/2018	S	3,278	D	\$ 63.955	146,048	D
Common shares without par value	07/24/2018	S	1,910	D	\$ 63.96	144,138	D
Common shares without par value	07/24/2018	S	520	D	\$ 63.965	143,618	D
	07/24/2018	S	3,560	D	\$ 63.97	140,058	D

Common shares without par value							
Common shares without par value	07/24/2018	S	600	D	\$ 63.975	139,458	D
Common shares without par value	07/24/2018	S	2,440	D	\$ 63.98	137,018	D
Common shares without par value	07/24/2018	S	200	D	\$ 63.985	136,818	D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transa	ction	Number	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	o	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	rlying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8) I	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				S	Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				A	Acquired					
					(.	A) or					
					Ι	Disposed					
					o	of (D)					
					(.	Instr. 3,					
					4	1, and 5)					
										Amount	
										or	
							Date	Expiration	Title	Number	
							Exercisable	Date	Title	of	
				Code	V ((A) (D)				Shares	
				Code	v ((\mathbf{A})				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Blaser Brian J			Executive					
100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD			Vice					

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ABBOTT PARK, IL 60064-6400

President

Date

Signatures

Jessica H. Paik, by power of attorney for Brian J.

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**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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