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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CAPEK JOHN M</u>				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ABT]									heck all a	oplicable)	g Person(s) to Issue 10% Owne			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2017									A bel	ow) (wo	b	Other (specify below) President	
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Explanation of Responses:

John A. Berry, by power of attorney for John M. Capek

03/02/2017

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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