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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>TILTON GLENN F</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ABT]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
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(Last) (First) (Middle) 100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2015											ffice elow	r (give title)		Other (sbelow)	specify	
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Stock Equivalent	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	12/31/2015			A		734			(1)		(1)	Common	7	734	\$44.9	91	24,413 ⁽²	2)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

Units

- 1. Director fees credited to a stock equivalent unit account under a grantor trust established by the director and paid, in cash, generally at age 65 or upon retirement from the board. The stock equivalent units earn the same return as if the fees were invested in Abbott stock.
- $2. \ Balance\ includes\ stock\ equivalent\ units\ acquired\ pursuant\ to\ a\ dividend\ reinvestment\ feature.$

John A. Berry, by Power of Attorney for Glenn F. Tilton

01/05/2016

** 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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