## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Ferson			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ ABT ]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
<u>OSBORN WILLIAM A</u>							X	Director	10% 0	Dwner			
(Last) 100 ABBO	(First) ITT PARK ROAD	(Middle)		te of Earliest Transac 1/2016	ction (Month/E	bay/Year)		Officer (give title below)	Other below	(specify )			
,			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) ABBOTT PARK IL 60064-6400						Line)	Form filed by On Form filed by Mo						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						Person					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned												
1. Title of Sec	urity (Instr. 3)	2. Transa	action	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired (A	) or	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature			

tle of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(1150.4)

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Equivalent Units	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	03/31/2016		A		824		(1)	(1)	Common shares	824	\$41.83	23,601 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	

Explanation of Responses:

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 shares.

2. Balance includes stock equivalent units acquired pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature.

John A. Berry, by Power of Attorney for William A. Osborn

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

04/01/2016

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).

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