FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Salvadori Daniel Gesua Sive</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ ABT ]									ck all applica Director	tionship of Reporting all applicable) Director		10% O	wner
(Last)	(F BOTT PARI	irst) K ROAD		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/26/2014									below)	Officer (give title below)  Senior Vio		Other ( below) sident	specify		
(Street) ABBOTT PARK IL 60064  (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable )  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Ta	ble I - Nor	n-Deri	vativ	ve Se	curities	s Acc	quired, D	isp	osed o	of, or Bo	ene	ficially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date				nsaction h/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		A) or	5. Amoun Securities Beneficia Owned Fo	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following			7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	,	Amount	(A) or Price		Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common shares without par value 09/20					26/20	6/2014		A		16,730	<b>)</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	1	\$0	16,730		D			
Common shares without par value 09/20				26/20	6/2014			A		7,500	(2)	A	\$0	24,230		D			
			Table II - I						ired, Dis						Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/\)	ate, T	4. Fransa Code (I 3)		Derivative		6. Date Exer Expiration C (Month/Day/	ate		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		curity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transaction	Owr Forr Orre or Ir (I) (I	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Cod	Code	e V	(A)		Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	or Nu	mount umber Shares		(Instr. 4)			
Option (right to	\$42.08	09/26/2014			A		102,425		09/26/2015	09	9/25/2024	Common	10	02,425	\$0	102,42	25	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. These shares represent performance vested restricted stock awards under the Abbott Laboratories 2009 Incentive Stock Program. The awards have a 5-year term, with no more than 1/3 of the award vesting in any one year upon Abbott reaching a minimum return on equity target. The awards include the right to have stock withheld for tax purposes.
- 2. These shares represent a retention award of restricted stock under the Abbott Laboratories 2009 Incentive Stock Program. The awards generally vest on the third anniversary of their grant date and include the right to have stock withheld for tax purposes.
- 3. Employee stock option granted pursuant to the Abbott Laboratories 2009 Incentive Stock Program in a transaction exempt from Section 16 under Rule 16b-3. The option becomes exercisable in annual increments of 34,142 on 9/26/2015, 34,141 on 9/26/2016, and 34,142 on 9/26/2017.

John A. Berry, by power of attorney for Daniel G. Salvadori

09/30/2014

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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