FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

wasiiiigtori, D.C. 20549	OMB APPROVAL			
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP	OMB Number:	3235-		

-1									
	OMB Number:	3235-0287							
	Estimated average burden								
	hours per response:	0.5							

## Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LEIDEN JEFFREY M</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ ABT ]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
											,			X	Direc	ctor		10% C	Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2005									X Officer (give tit below)  Preside			Other (specify below)		
(Street) ABBOTT PARK IL 60064-6400				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									i. Indiv ine) X	<b>,</b>				son	
(City)	(31	ate) (	Zip)																	
		Tabl	le I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	efici	ally	Owne	ed			
Date			Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Disp Code (Instr.			Securities Acquired (A) sposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				Secur Benef Owne	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
							Code	v	Amount	(A (C	N) or D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
Common shares without par value 07/01/2			/2005	2005		F		31,923	31,923 D \$		\$49.	.305	296,054		D					
Common shares without par value																623 <sup>(1)</sup>	]		Profit Sharing Trust	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)			4. Transa Code ( 8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		ount	int er		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owi Fori Dire or II (I) (I	nership n: ct (D) ndirect nstr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Balance in the Abbott Laboratories Stock Retirement Trust as of July 5, 2005.

John A. Berry, by power of attorney for Jeffrey M. Leiden

07/06/2005

\*\* 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB Number.