

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Szela Mary T</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD</u> (Street) <u>ABBOTT PARK</u> <u>IL</u> <u>60064-6400</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) <u>08/27/2007</u>	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ABT]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <div>Director 10% Owner</div> <div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)</div> <div><u>Senior Vice President</u></div>	
		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person</div> <div>Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</div>	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common shares without par value	71,101	D	
Common shares without par value	7,823 ⁽¹⁾	I	Profit Sharing Trust

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)							
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/12/2000	02/11/2009	Common shares	1	42.5	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/12/2001	02/11/2009	Common shares	322	42.5	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/12/2002	02/11/2009	Common shares	2,353	42.5	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/11/2003	02/11/2010	Common shares	2,488	32.61	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/09/2002	02/08/2011	Common shares	6,277	45.45	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/09/2003	02/08/2011	Common shares	6,278	45.45	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/09/2004	02/08/2011	Common shares	6,278	45.45	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	06/01/2002	05/31/2011	Common shares	5,320	48.12	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	06/01/2003	05/31/2011	Common shares	5,320	48.12	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	06/01/2004	05/31/2011	Common shares	5,320	48.12	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	04/16/2002	10/14/2011	Common shares	133	48.79	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/15/2003	02/14/2012	Common shares	17,734	53.63	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/15/2004	02/14/2012	Common shares	17,734	53.63	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/15/2005	02/14/2012	Common shares	17,733	53.63	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	11/02/2002	02/10/2010	Common shares	57	50.7	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	12/06/2003	02/10/2010	Common shares	447	41.97	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/20/2006	02/19/2014	Common shares	10,604	41.03	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/20/2007	02/19/2014	Common shares	10,639	41.03	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	02/18/2006	02/17/2015	Common shares	11,600	46.34	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	02/18/2007	02/17/2015	Common shares	11,600	46.34	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	02/18/2008	02/17/2015	Common shares	11,600	46.34	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	11/06/2005	02/13/2013	Common shares	928	49.71	D	

**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	07/01/2006	02/13/2013	Common shares	1,158	43	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	02/17/2007	02/16/2016	Common shares	12,000	44.16	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	02/17/2008	02/16/2016	Common shares	12,000	44.16	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	02/17/2009	02/16/2016	Common shares	12,000	44.16	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	02/19/2006	02/13/2013	Common shares	2,620	49.13	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	02/16/2008	02/15/2017	Common shares	11,900	52.54	D	
Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	02/16/2009	02/15/2017	Common shares	11,900	52.54	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Balance in the Abbott Laboratories Stock Retirement Trust as of August 27, 2007.
- 2. Employee stock options granted pursuant to the Abbott Laboratories 1996 Incentive Stock Program, including a replacement option feature, in a transaction exempt from Section 16 under Rule 16b-3.
- 3. Employee stock options granted pursuant to the Abbott Laboratories 1996 Incentive Stock Program in a transaction exempt from Section 16 under Rule 16b-3.

Remarks:

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Deborah K. Koenen, by power
of attorney for Mary T. Szela 09/06/2007

** 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 5 (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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