## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

l	OMB APPROVAL									
l	OMB Number:	3235-0287								
l	Estimated average burde	en								
l	hours per response:	0.5								

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\*

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

NEMMERS JOSEPH M							ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ ABT ]							Director			10% Owner		
(Last) 100 ABI	(F BOTT PAR	First) K ROAD		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/26/2007								X	X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Executive Vice President						
(Street) ABBOTT PARK IL 60064-6400					4. If	Line)									dual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
(City)	(S	State)	(Zip)																
		Та	ble I - No	on-Deriv	ative	e Se	curitie	s Acc	quired	l, Dis	sposed of,	or Ben	eficially	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)				2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Ex if:	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				(A) or		3, 4 and 5)	Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		Direct Indirect Str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						$\downarrow$			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 a	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
		hout par value			6/2007				M		1,954	A	\$34.7727 118,5			D			
		hout par value		02/26/	2/26/2007				M		1,393	A			,946		D		
		hout par value		02/26/	/2007				M		14,515	A	\$36.3985 13		134,461		D		
Common	Shares wit	hout par value		02/26/	2007				F		14,034	D	\$53.59	120	120,427		D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e Execution		ansacti ode (Ins			ve es ed (A) or ed of	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y		ate Amount		of es ng ee	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti	e Ownersh Form: Direct (D) or Indirect g (I) (Instr.		Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				C	Code V		(A) (D)		Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)				
Option (right to buy) <sup>(4)</sup>	\$34.7727	02/26/2007			М			1,954	02/13/2001		02/12/2008	common shares	1,954	\$0	0		D		
Option (right to buy) <sup>(4)</sup>	\$33.2314	02/26/2007			М			1,393	02/14/2006		02/13/2013	common shares	1,393	\$0	0		D		
Option (right to buy) <sup>(4)</sup>	\$36.3985	02/26/2007			М			14,515	06/28	3/2005	06/27/2012	common shares	14,515	\$0	6,234	1	D		
Option (right to buy) <sup>(4)</sup>	\$53.59	02/26/2007			A		1,267		08/27	7/2007	02/12/2008	common shares	1,267	\$0	1,267	7	D		
Option (right to buy) <sup>(4)</sup>	\$53.59	02/26/2007			A		1,072		08/27	7/2007	02/13/2013	common shares	1,072	\$0	1,072	2	D		
Option (right to	\$53.59	02/26/2007			A		11,695		08/27	7/2007	06/27/2012	common shares	11,695	\$0	11,69	5	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

- $1. \ Balance \ in the \ Abbott \ Laboratories \ Stock \ Retirement \ Trust \ as \ of \ February \ 27, \ 2007.$
- $2. \ Reporting \ person \ disclaims \ beneficial \ ownership \ of \ all \ securities \ held \ by \ his \ sons.$
- 3. Includes shares acquired under the Abbott Laboratories Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan in transactions exempt from Section 16 under Rule 16(a)-11.

4. Employee stock option granted pursuant to the Abbott Laboratories 1996 Incentive Stock Program, including a replacement option feature, in a transaction exempt from Section 16(b) under Rule 16b-3.

Remarks:

The exercises were made pursuant to a previously adopted plan complying with Rule 10b5-1(c). The plan was adopted on February 12, 2007.

John A. Berry, by power of attorney for Joseph M. 02/28/2007
Nemmers, Jr.

\*\* 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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