Instruction 1(b)

FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Ford Robert B						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ ABT ]									k all applic Directo	cable) or	g Perso	Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner  Other (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/25/2022								X	below)	(give title	pecify			
(Street) ABBOT	ΓPARK IL		60064 (Zip)	1	4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Ind Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
Date			2. Transacti Date (Month/Day		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Di Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amoun Securities Beneficial Owned Fo Reported		es Fo ally (D Following (I)	Form:	Direct Indirect Istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common	Common shares without par value 08/25.		08/25/20	022	22					45,492	Α	\$39	9.12 1		187,563		D		
Common shares without par value			08/25/2022				M		56,933	A	<b>\$4</b> 1	41.14 24		1,496		D			
Common	shares with	out par value		08/25/20	022				S		102,425	D	<b>\$105</b> .	1028(1	(1) 142,071			D	
Common shares without par value														197	,403(2)		I	Ford Family Trust	
		7	Γable								sposed of s, converti				Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date Exe (Month/Day/Year) if a	Execu	eemed Ition Date, h/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)			Expiration (Month/Day			7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		[	3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Direct (I or Indire (I) (Instr	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exe	e rcisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ame or Nun of Sha		er				
Option (right to buy) <sup>(3)</sup>	\$39.12	08/25/2022			M			45,49	2 02/2	21/2017	02/20/2024	Commo Shares		492	\$0	0		D	
Option (right to buy) <sup>(3)</sup>	\$41.14	08/25/2022			M			56,93	3 07/0	01/2017	06/30/2024	Commo Shares		933	\$0	0		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$104.60 to \$105.43, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Abbott Laboratories, any security holder of Abbott Laboratories, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.
- $2. \ Held \ in the \ Ford \ Family \ Trust \ DTD \ June \ 2, 2014. \ The \ reporting \ person \ is \ co-trustee \ of \ the \ trust.$
- 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.

## Remarks:

These transactions were made pursuant to a previously adopted plan complying with Rule 10b5-1(c).

/s/ Robert B. Ford by Jessica H. 08/26/2022 Paik, Attorney-in-Fact

\*\* 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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