FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940																				
Name and Address of Reporting Person*     DALEY WILLIAM M						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ ABT ]											ip of Reporting Perso plicable) ctor		s) to Is	
	JPMORGAN CHASE & CO.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/22/2005										Office	er (give title v)		Other (specify below)	
1BANK ONE PLAZA  (Street)  CHICAGO IL 60670				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting						
(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)													Pers				
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriva	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	ficia	ally (	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Day/Year)   E		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Sec Ben Owi		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	•	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Common shares without par value 04/22/					2/2005				A		1,889	(1)	A	\$	0	3,889		D		
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	vative Conversion Date Execution Date, urity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date E. Expiratio (Month/D	Amo Secu Unde Deriv	Ame or Nun	ount		ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	(D) rect	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				-  -	Code V				Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title Shar		res						

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. These are restricted stock units awarded under the Abbott Laboratories 1996 Incentive Stock Program (the "Program"). They will be paid, on a one-to-one basis, in Abbott common shares on the earlier of the date on which the director terminates or retires from the Board, dies, or the occurrence of a change in control (as defined in the Program).

> John A. Berry, Attorney-in-Fact for William M. Daley

04/26/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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