FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     REYNOLDS W ANN					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ ABT ]								(Check all applicat		r		(s) to Issuer  10% Owner  Other (specify			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 130 WEST 67TH STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/25/2006								belov	er (give title v)		below)	specify			
APT. 21A					_ 4. I	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) NEW YO	ORK N	<b>Y</b> :	10023		_									X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				- 1		
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																	
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day)				Execution Dat		Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Direct I ndirect E 1. 4)	7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership				
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				Instr. 4)		
Common shares without par value 07/25/20			2006	06			M		1,796	A	\$24.19	99 38	,798 D		)					
Common shares without par value 07/25/2		2006	006			S		1,796	D	\$48	37	,002	D							
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1. Title of 2. 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed Execution Date Execution Date Execution Date Courty or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			ransaction ode (Instr.		n of		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		te Amount of		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	e Or s Fo lly Di or (I)	on wnership orm: irect (D) Indirect (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares							
Option (right to buy) <sup>(3)</sup>	\$24.1999	07/25/2006			M			1,796	12/31/1	1996	12/30/2006	common shares	1,796	\$0	0		D			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Includes shares acquired under the Abbott Laboratories Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan. These transactions were exempt from Section 16 under Rule 16a-11.
- 2. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all securities held by her husband.
- 3. 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.

The exercise and sale are being made pursuant to a previously adopted plan complying with Rule 10b5-1(c). The plan was adopted on June 7, 2006.

Deborah K. Koenen, by power

of attorney for W. Ann 07/27/2006

**Reynolds** 

\*\* 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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