

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* STARKS DANIEL J (Last) (First) (Middle) 100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD (Street) ABBOTT PARK IL 60064 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ABT]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2018	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		100	A	\$60.52	6,943,348	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		100	A	\$60.53	6,943,448	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		500	A	\$60.56	6,943,948	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		400	A	\$60.57	6,944,348	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		100	A	\$60.575	6,944,448	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		100	A	\$60.58	6,944,548	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		600	A	\$60.59	6,945,148	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		100	A	\$60.595	6,945,248	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		700	A	\$60.6	6,945,948	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		14	A	\$60.605	6,945,962	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		600	A	\$60.61	6,946,562	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		1,417	A	\$60.62	6,947,979	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		700	A	\$60.63	6,948,679	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		200	A	\$60.635	6,948,879	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		1,300	A	\$60.64	6,950,179	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		1,500	A	\$60.645	6,951,679	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		1,600	A	\$60.65	6,953,279	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		1,600	A	\$60.66	6,954,879	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		600	A	\$60.665	6,955,479	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		2,799	A	\$60.67	6,958,278	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		103	A	\$60.675	6,958,381	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		4,500	A	\$60.68	6,962,881	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		487	A	\$60.685	6,963,368	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		4,400	A	\$60.69	6,967,768	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		500	A	\$60.695	6,968,268	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		4,800	A	\$60.7	6,973,068	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		700	A	\$60.705	6,973,768	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		8,100	A	\$60.71	6,981,868	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		100	A	\$60.7125	6,981,968	D	
Common shares without par value	02/27/2018		P		1,317	A	\$60.715	6,983,285	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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Form 1 of 3.

John A. Berry, by power of attorney for Daniel J. Starks 02/28/2018

** 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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