FRATONI S SAM Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

Common

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Stock

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11/18/2005

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FRATONI S SAM			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol IDEXX LABORATORIES INC /DE						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			[IDXX]						(Check all applicable)			
(Last) ONE IDEX	(First) (Middle) 3. Date o (Month/EXX DRIVE 11/18/2					ansaction			Director 10% Owner Norticer (give title Other (specify below) below) Vice President and CIO			
	(Street) 4. If Ame			ndment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
WESTBRO	F	Filed(Month/Day/Year)						Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	I - Non	ı-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	Code (Instr. 8		4. Securitin(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	posed	of (D)	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)	
Common Stock	11/18/2005			M		15,187	A	\$ 24.5	22,409	D		
Common Stock	11/18/2005			S		15,187	D	\$ 71.5	7,222	D		

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M

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\$ 24.5 7,323

 $7,222 \frac{(1)}{2}$

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

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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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.5	11/18/2005		M	15,288	(2)	02/03/2009	Common Stock	15,2

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FRATONI S SAM ONE IDEXX DRIVE WESTBROOK, ME 04092

Vice President and CIO

Signatures

Conan R. Deady, Attorney-in-Fact for S. Sam Fratoni

11/22/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Includes 49 shares of common stock acquired pursuant to the IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on September 30, 2005
- Grant of option to buy shares of Common Stock exercisable as to 4,000 shares on 2/03/00, 2/03/01, and 2/03/02; and 3,288 shares on 2/03/03.

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