#### GOLDWASSER DAN L

Form 4 May 01, 2007

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* GOLDWASSER DAN L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

FOREST LABORATORIES INC

(Check all applicable)

[FRX]

04/27/2007

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O FOREST LABORATORIES, INC., 909 THIRD AVENUE

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City)	(State)	State) (Zip) 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)	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(IIIsti. +)		
Common Stock	04/27/2007		M	9,300	A	\$ 5.6368	17,505	D		
Common Stock	04/27/2007		S	300	D	\$ 54.27	17,205	D		
Common Stock	04/27/2007		S	5,400	D	\$ 54.26	11,805	D		
Common Stock	04/27/2007		S	3,600	D	\$ 54.25	8,205	D		
Common Stock	05/17/2004		G	925	D	<u>(1)</u>	7,280 (2)	D		

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Common Stock	04/05/2005	G	1,375	D	<u>(1)</u>	5,905 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/12/2006	G	1,500	D	<u>(1)</u>	4,405 (2) (3)	D

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.6368	04/27/2007		M		9,300	02/11/1998	08/11/2007	Common Stock	9,300

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GOLDWASSER DAN L							
C/O FOREST LABORATORIES, INC.	X						
909 THIRD AVENUE	Λ						

# **Signatures**

NEW YORK, NY 10022

/s/ Dan L. Goldwasser 05/01/2007 \*\*Signature of Date Reporting Person

2 Reporting Owners

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### **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) Not Applicable.
- (2) This item reports a gift which was inadvertently omitted from the Reporting Person's prior reports on Form 4.
- (3) The Reporting Person beneficially owns 57,105 shares which includes options to purchase 52,700 shares.

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