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FORM 4

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MAC MAHON THOMAS P	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
	LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA HOLDINGS [LH]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 430 SOUTH SPRING STREET	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2005	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO and Chairman of the Board		
(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		
BURLINGTON, NC 27215		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab l	le I - Non-I	Derivative (Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (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	(D)	Price	(Illstr. 5 alid 4)		
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005		S	800	D	\$ 48.2	376,720 (2)	D	
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005		S	4,100	D	\$ 48.19	372,620 <u>(2)</u>	D	
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005		S	2,600	D	\$ 48.15	370,020 (2)	D	
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005		S	1,200	D	\$ 48.12	368,820 (2)	D	
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005		S	4,100	D	\$ 48.11	364,720 <u>(2)</u>	D	

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Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	10,100	D	\$ 48.1	354,620 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	2,100	D	\$ 48.09	352,520 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	3,200	D	\$ 48.08	349,320 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	5,000	D	\$ 48.07	344,320 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	1,100	D	\$ 48.06	343,220 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	700	D	\$ 48.05	342,520 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	400	D	\$ 48.04	342,120 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	8,200	D	\$ 48.03	333,920 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	5,100	D	\$ 48.02	328,820 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	6,400	D	\$ 48.01	322,420 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	48,300	D	\$ 48	274,120 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	500	D	\$ 47.99	273,620 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	1,400	D	\$ 47.98	272,220 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	1,100	D	\$ 47.97	271,120 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	3,600	D	\$ 47.96	267,520 <u>(2)</u>	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	2,500	D	\$ 47.95	265,020 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 47.94	264,020 (2)	D
Common Stock (1)	04/01/2005	S	1,400	D	\$ 47.93	262,620 (2)	D

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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc		7. Title		8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	Secur
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired						Follo
					(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
						Excicisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
2	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MAC MAHON THOMAS P 430 SOUTH SPRING STREET BURLINGTON, NC 27215	X		CEO and Chairman of the Board				

Signatures

By: /s/ BRADFORD T. SMITH, Attorney-in-Fact for Thomas P. Mac 04/05/2005 Mahon

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- 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) Pursuant to a plan in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
- (2) Amount shown reflects a 2-for-1 stock split effective on May 10, 2002.

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