#### **ABBOTT LABORATORIES**

Form 4

October 30, 2014

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Add WHITE MILI	•	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ABT]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
100 ABBOTT	PARK RO	OAD	10/28/2014	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Chairman and CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person		
ABBOTT PARK, IL 60064-6400				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	<b>Derivative</b>	Securi	ties Acquire	ed, Disposed of, o	or Beneficially	<b>Owned</b>
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	onDisposed of (Instr. 3, 4	of (D) and 5) (A) or		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 shares without par value	10/28/2014		Code V  M	Amount 402,766	(D)	Price \$ 22.267	1,817,291	D	
Common shares without par value	10/28/2014		S	12,959	D	\$ 42.505	1,804,332	D	
Common shares without par value	10/28/2014		S	5,700	D	\$ 42.5025	1,798,632	D	

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Common shares without par value	10/28/2014	S	384,107	D	\$ 42.5	1,414,525	D	
Common shares without par value	10/29/2014	M	38,034	A	\$ 22.267	1,452,559	D	
Common shares without par value	10/29/2014	S	38,034	D	\$ 42.7	1,414,525	D	
Common shares without par value						26,838 (1)	I	Profit Sharing Trust
Common shares without par value						7,863 (2)	I	By son
Common shares without par value						7,772 (2)	I	By son

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)				7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 22.267	10/28/2014		M		402,766	02/18/2008	02/17/2015	Common shares	402,76
	\$ 22.267	10/29/2014		M		38,034	02/18/2008	02/17/2015		38,034

Option Common (right to shares buy) (3)

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WHITE MILES D 100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD ABBOTT PARK, IL 60064-6400

X Chairman and CEO

## **Signatures**

John A. Berry, by power of attorney for Miles D.
White
10/30/2014

\*\*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) Balance in the Abbott Laboratories Stock Retirement Trust as of October 28, 2014.
- (2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all securities held by his son.
- (3) Employee stock option granted pursuant to the Abbott Laboratories 1996 Incentive Stock Program in a transaction exempt from Section 16 under Rule 16b-3.

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