

Fussell Stephen R
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. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Fussell Stephen R

(Last) (First) (Middle)

100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD

(Street)

ABBOTT PARK, IL 60064-6400

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ABT]

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

08/16/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)

Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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	08/16/2017		M		39,350	A	\$ 26.6973
Common shares without par value	08/16/2017		M		38,700	A	\$ 26.015
Common shares without par value	08/16/2017		M		28,700	A	\$ 26.1879
							221,488
							260,188
							288,888

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Common shares without par value	08/16/2017	M	45,800	A	\$ 22.3919	334,688	D	
Common shares without par value	08/16/2017	M	44,000	A	\$ 27.0336	378,688	D	
Common shares without par value	08/16/2017	S	196,550	D	\$ 49.5	182,138	D	
Common shares without par value						1,570 ⁽¹⁾	I	Profit Sharing Trust
Common shares without par value						53 ⁽²⁾	I	By Spouse

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 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	\$ 26.6973	08/16/2017		M	39,350	02/15/2011 02/14/2018	Common shares 39,350
Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	\$ 26.015	08/16/2017		M	38,700	02/20/2012 02/19/2019	Common shares 38,700

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Option (right to buy) ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 26.1879	08/16/2017	M	28,700	02/19/2013	02/18/2020	Common shares	28,700
Option (right to buy) ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 22.3919	08/16/2017	M	45,800	02/18/2014	02/17/2021	Common shares	45,800
Option (right to buy) ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 27.0336	08/16/2017	M	44,000	02/17/2015	02/16/2022	Common shares	44,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Fussell Stephen R 100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD ABBOTT PARK, IL 60064-6400			Executive Vice President	

Signatures

John A. Berry, by power of attorney for Stephen R.
Fussell

08/18/2017

 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 August 16, 2017.
- (2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all securities held by his spouse.
- (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.
- (4) Employee stock option granted pursuant to the Abbott Laboratories 2009 Incentive Stock Program, in a transaction exempt from Section 16 under Rule 16b-3.

Remarks:

These transactions were made pursuant to a previously adopted plan complying with Rule 10b5-1(c).

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