

ABBOTT LABORATORIES
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â Bohuon Olivier</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>ABBOTT PARK, IL 60064-6400</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>04/24/2006</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ABT]</p>	<p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other</p> <p>(give title below) (specify below)</p> <p>Senior Vice President</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common shares without par value	20,830	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Title	Amount or Number of		

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	06/01/2005	05/31/2013	Common shares	35,468	\$ 41.7836	D	Â
Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	06/01/2006	05/31/2013	Common shares	17,734	\$ 41.7836	D	Â
Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	02/20/2004	02/19/2014	Common shares	21,281	\$ 41.0317	D	Â
Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	02/20/2007	02/19/2014	Common shares	10,639	\$ 41.0317	D	Â
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/18/2006	02/17/2015	Common shares	11,600	\$ 46.34	D	Â
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/18/2007	02/17/2015	Common shares	11,600	\$ 46.34	D	Â
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/18/2008	02/17/2015	Common shares	11,600	\$ 46.34	D	Â
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/17/2007	02/16/2016	Common shares	12,000	\$ 44.16	D	Â
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/17/2008	02/16/2016	Common shares	12,000	\$ 44.16	D	Â
Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	02/17/2009	02/16/2016	Common shares	12,000	\$ 44.16	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Bohuon Olivier 100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD ABBOTT PARK, IL 60064-6400	Â	Â	Â Senior Vice President	Â

Signatures

John A. Berry, by power of attorney for Olivier Bohuon
05/01/2006

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Employee stock options granted pursuant to the Abbott Laboratories 1996 Incentive Stock Program, including a replacement option feature, in a transaction exempt from Section 16(b) under Rule 16b-3.
- (2) Employee stock options granted pursuant to the Abbott Laboratories 1996 Incentive Stock Program in a transaction exempt from Section 16(b) under Rule 16b-3.

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