

KING DAVID P
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN 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)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
KING DAVID P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA HOLDINGS [LH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
531 SOUTH SPRING STREET
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/23/2018

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President & CEO

BURLINGTON, NC 27215

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 or (D) Price			
Common Stock	04/23/2018		M ⁽¹⁾	49,967 A \$ 84.86	271,636.3298	D	
Common Stock	04/23/2018		S ⁽¹⁾	28,767 D \$ 165.944 ⁽²⁾	242,869.3298	D	
Common Stock	04/23/2018		S ⁽¹⁾	21,200 D \$ 166.3672 ⁽³⁾	221,669.3298	D	
Common Stock					27,811	I	By grantor retained annuity

Common Stock	47,357	I	trust By grantor retained annuity trust
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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Non-qualified Stock Options ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 84.86	04/23/2018		M	49,967	05/24/2013 ⁽⁵⁾ 05/23/2022	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KING DAVID P 531 SOUTH SPRING STREET BURLINGTON, NC 27215	X		President & CEO	

Signatures

/s/ F. Samuel Eberts III, Attorney-in-Fact for David P. King 04/25/2018

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) Pursuant to a plan in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

The price of \$165.9440 per share represents a weighted average of sales prices ranging from \$165.23 to \$166.225 per share. The reporting person undertakes to provide upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares purchased or sold at each separate price.

- (2) The price of \$166.3672 per share represents a weighted average of sales prices ranging from \$166.23 to \$166.67 per share. The reporting person undertakes to provide upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares purchased or sold at each separate price.

- (3) Employee stock option (right to buy) granted pursuant to the Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings 2016 Omnibus Incentive Plan.

- (4) The option vested in three equal annual installments beginning on 05/24/2013 and is now fully exercisable.

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