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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WALLACE ANDREW G

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)

430 SOUTH SPRING STREET

(First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 08/31/2006

_X__ Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Street)

(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

BURLINGTON, NC 27215

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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)	onor Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) or	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)
Common Stock	08/31/2006		Code V M(1)	Amount 457	(D)	Price \$ 15.7813 (2)	13,717 (3)	D	
Common Stock	08/31/2006		M(1)	316	A	\$ 34.25	14,033 (3)	D	
Common Stock	08/31/2006		M <u>(1)</u>	225	A	\$ 48.02	14,258 (3)	D	
Common Stock	08/31/2006		M(1)	423	A	\$ 30.36	14,681 (3)	D	
Common Stock	08/31/2006		M(1)	331	A	\$ 38.8	15,012 (3)	D	

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Common Stock	08/31/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 68.31	14,812 (3)	D
Common Stock	08/31/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	141	D	\$ 68.3	14,671 (3)	D
Common Stock	08/31/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 68.29	14,471 (3)	D
Common Stock	08/31/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 68.28	14,271 (3)	D
Common Stock	08/31/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 68.25	13,971 (3)	D
Common Stock	08/31/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 68.24	13,571 (3)	D
Common Stock	08/31/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 68.11	13,371 (3)	D
Common Stock	08/31/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 68.1	12,971 (3)	D
Common Stock	08/31/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 68.09	12,771 (3)	D
Common Stock	09/01/2006	A	24 (4)	A	\$ 68.1	12,795 (3)	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 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date rivative (Month/Day/Year) curities quired o or sposed (D) str. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Share
Non-qualified Stock Options	\$ 15.7813 (2)	08/31/2006		M <u>(1)</u>	457	05/04/2001(6)	05/04/2010	Common Stock	45

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(3)								
Non-qualified Stock Options	\$ 34.25	08/31/2006	M <u>(1)</u>	316	05/24/2002(6)	05/24/2011	Common Stock	31
Non-qualified Stock Options	\$ 48.02	08/31/2006	M <u>(1)</u>	225	05/15/2003(6)	05/15/2012	Common Stock	22
Non-qualified Stock Options	\$ 30.36	08/31/2006	M <u>(1)</u>	423	05/14/2004(6)	05/14/2013	Common Stock	42
Non-qualified Stock Options	\$ 38.8	08/31/2006	M <u>(1)</u>	331	05/12/2005(6)	05/12/2014	Common Stock	33

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
.r. g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
WALLACE ANDREW G 430 SOUTH SPRING STREET BURLINGTON, NC 27215	X						

Signatures

(5)

By: /s/ BRADFORD T. SMITH, Attorney-in-Fact for Andrew G.
Wallace 09/05/2006

**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) Pursuant to a plan in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
- (2) Actual exercise price was \$15.78125. The filing software truncates the price to only four decimal places.
- (3) Amount shown reflects a 2-for-1 stock split effective on May 10, 2002.
- (4) Stock award represents half the monthly Director retainer pursuant to the Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings 1995 Stock Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- (5) Common stock purchase option granted under the Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings 1999 Amended and Restated Stock Incentive Plan.
- (6) The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on the date reflected in this column.
- (7) Common stock purchase option granted under the Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings 2000 Stock Incentive Plan.

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