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(Print or Type R	Responses)											
		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
				ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ABT] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)			
333 W. WA	CKER DRIVE, S	UITE	(Month/Da 04/22/20	ay/Year)				X Director Officer (give below)		6 Owner er (specify		
				endment, Date Original nth/Day/Year)				 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person 				
CHICAGO,	IL 60606								More than One Ro			
(City)	(State) (Zip)	Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Title of curity2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any3.Str. 3)anyCo		TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
shares without par value	04/22/2005			А	1,889 (1)	А	\$0	8,733	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)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,			7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
The pointing of the Product of the point of	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
GREENBERG JACK M 333 W. WACKER DRIVE SUITE 1015 CHICAGO, IL 60606	Х							
Signatures								
John A. Berry, Attorney-in-Fac Greenberg		04/26/2005						
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting		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).
- These are restricted stock units awarded under the Abbott Laboratories 1996 Incentive Stock Program (the "Program"). They will be paid(1) on a one-to-one basis in Abbott common shares on the earlier of the date on which the director terminates or retires from the Board, dies, or the occurrence of a change in control (as defined in the Program).

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