

ABBOTT LABORATORIES  
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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 \*  
DALEY WILLIAM M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

JPMORGAN CHASE & CO., 1  
CHASE TOWER, 10 S.  
DEARBORN, STE. 0883

(Street)

CHICAGO, IL 60603

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ABT]

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

09/30/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |     |       |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|-----|-------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Code  | V  | Amount                            | (D) | Price |

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 | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 4. Transaction | 5. Number of | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying | 8. Price of Derivat |
|------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|--------------|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
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| Security<br>(Instr. 3)       | or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Code<br>(Instr. 8) | Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>and 5) | (Month/Day/Year)    | Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | Security<br>(Instr. 5) |  |        |
|------------------------------|---|-------------------------|--------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|--|--------|
|                              |   |                         | Code V             | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date             | Title                  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |        |
| Stock<br>equivalent<br>units | \$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>                               | 09/30/2006              | A                  | 411   | <sup>(1)</sup>      | <sup>(1)</sup>                 | common<br>shares       | 411                                    | \$ 48. |

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director      10%  
Owner      Officer      Other

DALEY WILLIAM M  
JPMORGAN CHASE & CO.  
1 CHASE TOWER, 10 S. DEARBORN, STE. 0883  
CHICAGO, IL 60603

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## Signatures

John A. Berry, by power of attorney for William M. Daley

10/03/2006

                 \*\*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).

This director defers and credits director fees to a stock equivalent unit account under a grantor trust established by the him and paid, in  
(1) cash, generally at age 65 or upon retirement from the board. The stock equivalent units earn the same return as if the fees were invested in Abbott stock.

(2) Balance includes stock equivalent units acquired pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature.

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