#### IDEXX LABORATORIES INC /DE

Form 4

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## FORM 4

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* VUMBACCO JOSEPH V

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

IDEXX LABORATORIES INC /DE

(Check all applicable)

[IDXX]

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

(Month/Day/Year) 02/14/2011

ONE IDEXX DRIVE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

Issuer

below)

WESTBROOK, ME 04092

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4)

(A) or

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative **Expiration Date** or Exercise Code (Month/Day/Year) Security Securities any

7. Title and Amount

Underlying Securitie

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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,	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	( ] (	Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)	d of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Deferred Stock Unit	<u>(1)</u>	02/14/2011		A		354		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	354
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 77.59	02/14/2011		A		3,301		(2)	02/13/2018	Common Stock	3,30

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting o where there is a real constant of the constant of	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
VUMBACCO JOSEPH V ONE IDEXX DRIVE WESTBROOK, ME 04092	X						

## **Signatures**

John B. Rogers, Attorney-in-Fact for Joseph V.
Vumbacco
02/16/2011

\*\*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).
- Each deferred stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock. The deferred (1) stock units vest 100% one year from the date of grant and are payable as common stock one year following the Director's resignation from the Board of Directors.
- (2) Grant of options to buy shares of common stock that vest one year from the date of grant (02/14/2012).

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