EBERTS F SAMUEL III

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading EBERTS F SAMUEL III Issuer Symbol LABORATORY CORP OF (Check all applicable) AMERICA HOLDINGS [LH] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 531 SOUTH SPRING STREET 05/17/2013 Chief Legal Officer, Secretary (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 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 **BURLINGTON, NC 27215** Person (City) (State) (7:m)

(City)	(State)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative (Securi	ties Acqu	iired, Disposed of	f, 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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	05/17/2013		M	10,000	A	\$ 47.89	28,593	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2013		S	10,000	D	\$ 98.47 (1)	18,593	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and A	Sec
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	0 N
Non-qualified Stock Options	\$ 47.89	05/17/2013		M	10,000	03/01/2006(3)	03/01/2015	Common Stock	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

EBERTS F SAMUEL III 531 SOUTH SPRING STREET BURLINGTON, NC 27215

Chief Legal Officer, Secretary

Signatures

/s/ F. Samuel Eberts III 05/21/2013

**Signature of Reporting Date

Person

Explanation of Responses:

number of shares purchased or sold at each separate price.

- * 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).
- The price of \$98.47 per share represents a weighted average of sales prices ranging from \$98.29 to \$98.59 per share. The reporting person (1) undertakes to provide upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the
- (2) Employee stock option (right to buy) granted persuant to the Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings 2000 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (3) The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on the date reflected in this column.

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