

POWERS JOHNNY D
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
POWERS JOHNNY D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
IDEXX LABORATORIES INC /DE [IDXX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
ONE IDEXX DRIVE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/14/2010

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Corporate Vice President

WESTBROOK, ME 04092

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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)	Price		
Common Stock	02/14/2010		M	510	A \$ 0	782 ⁽¹⁾	D
Common Stock	02/14/2010		F	192	D \$ 53.31	590	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 Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 53.31	02/14/2010		A	1,875	(2) 02/13/2017	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 53.31	02/14/2010		A	16,168	(3) 02/13/2017	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Unit	(4)	02/14/2010		A	1,876	(4) (4)	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Unit	(5)	02/14/2010		M	510	(5) (5)	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
POWERS JOHNNY D ONE IDEXX DRIVE WESTBROOK, ME 04092			Corporate Vice President	

Signatures

John B. Rogers, Attorney-in-Fact for Johnny D. Powers, PhD
 02/17/2010
 __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) Includes 88, 95 and 89 shares of common stock acquired under the IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on June 30, September 30 and December 31, 2009.
- (2) Grant of option to buy shares of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock becomes exercisable on the fifth anniversary date (2/14/2015) of the date of grant.
- (3) Grant of option to buy shares of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock exercisable as to 3,609 shares on each of 2/14/2011, 2/14/2012 and 2/14/2013, 3,608 shares on 2/14/2014 and 1,733 shares on 2/14/2015.

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- (4) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock. Restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning on 2/14/2011.
- (5) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock. Restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning on 2/14/2010.

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