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(Print or Type	Responses)						
1. Name and A WHITE MI	Address of Reporting ILES D	Sym	Issuer Name and Tick ibol BOTT LABORAT	-	5. Relationship of Issuer		
(Last) 100 ABBO	(First) (Middle) 3. D (Mo	ate of Earliest Transac nth/Day/Year) 01/2006	_	X Director X Officer (give below)		Owner er (specify
ABBOTT I	(Street) PARK, IL 60064-	File	Amendment, Date Or d(Month/Day/Year)	ginal	6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by O Form filed by M Person	one Reporting Pe	erson
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Deriva	tive Securities	Acquired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date any	e, if Transactionor Di	sposed of (D) . 3, 4 and 5) (A) or	ed (A) 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 shares without par value	10/01/2006		F 15,7	80 D ^{\$} 48	.365 817,419	D	
Common shares without par value					16,339 <u>(1)</u>	I	Profit Sharing Trust
Common shares without par value					4,249	I	By wife for son (2)

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Common			
shares	4,249	т	By wife
without	4,249	1	for son (2)
par value			

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	;	ate	Secur	ınt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owna Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
WHITE MILES D 100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD ABBOTT PARK, IL 60064-6400	Х		Chairman and CEO				
Signatures							
John A. Berry, by power of attorney for Miles D. White			10/03/2006				
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Per	rson		Date				
Explanation of Pos	nonc						

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) Balance in the Abbott Laboratories Stock Retirement Trust as of October 2, 2006.

(2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all securities held by his sons.

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