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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Common Stock \$.01

par value Common Stock \$.01

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par value

09/30/2016

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and AdMINOGUE	Symbol				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
			ABIOMED INC [ABMD]				(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (M	,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				400	w 0		
C/O ABIOM CHERRY H	`	(Month/Day/Year) 09/30/2016			_X_ Director _X_ Officer (gi below)	ve title 0th below) ent, CEO, Chair	ner (specify			
	4. If Amer	4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check					
		Filed(Mon	th/Day/Year)	1		Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by	One Reporting P	erson		
DANVERS,						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc				quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3.	4. Securi		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if		onAcquired		Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed		Beneficially Owned	(D) or	Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and 5)	Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
						Reported	(Instr. 1)	(msu. 1)		
					(A)	Transaction(s)				
			Code V	Amount	or (D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				

 $A^{(5)}$

73 (5)

\$0

213,972

92,788

655

D

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

By Trust

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. I De Seo (In
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (right to buy) (2)	\$ 10.03					06/03/2011(1)	06/03/2020	Common Stock	0	
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (2)	\$ 22.44					05/22/2013(1)	05/22/2022	Common Stock	0	
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (2)	\$ 23.15					05/14/2014(1)	05/14/2024	Common stock	0	
Stock Option (right to buy) (2)	\$ 21.55					05/14/2015(3)	05/14/2024	Common Stock	0	
Stock Option (right to buy) (2)	\$ 66.25					05/13/2016(3)	05/13/2025	Common Stock	0	
Stock Option (right to buy) (4)	\$ 99.62					05/24/2017(3)	05/24/2026	Common Stock	0	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MINOGUE MICHAEL R

C/O ABIOMED, INC.,
22 CHERRY HILL DRIVE
DANVERS, MA 01923

Signatures

/s/ Stephen C. McEvoy (by power of attorney)

10/04/2016

**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) These options become exercisable in annual 25% increments, commencing on the date shown in Table II, Column 6.
- (2) Grant to reporting person of option to buy the number of shares of Common Stock set forth in Table II, Column 7, under the ABIOMED, Inc. 2008 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (3) These options become exercisable in annual 33-1/3% increments, commencing on the date shown in Table II, Column 6.
- (4) Grant to reporting person of option to buy the number of shares of Common Stock set forth in Table II, Column 7, under the ABIOMED, Inc. 2015 Omnibus Incentive Plan.
- (5) These shares of common stock were acquired by the reporting person through participation in the ABIOMED, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan, qualified under Section 423 of the Internal Revenue Code, and the transaction was exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).

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