WHITE MILES D

Form 4

December 19, 2017

## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

value

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

WHITE MILES D			Symbol ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ABT]						Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/12/2017					X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  ABBOTT PARK, IL 60064-6400						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ar) Executi	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (Instr.	8)	4. Securitin(A) or Dis(D) (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of	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	12/12/2017			G	V	1,440	D	\$ 0	3,146,582	D		
Common shares without par value	12/13/2017			G	V	23,345	D	\$ 0	3,123,237	D		
Common shares without par	12/14/2017			G	V	36,352	D	\$ 0	3,086,885	D		

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Common shares without par value	12/15/2017	G	V 455	D	\$0	3,086,430	D	
Common shares without par value						31,675 <u>(1)</u>	I	Profit Sharing Trust
Common shares without par value	12/12/2017	G	V 720	A	\$ 0	720 (2)	I	By wife
Common shares without par value	12/12/2017	G	V 240	A	\$ 0	9,738 (2)	I	By son
Common shares without par value	12/12/2017	G	V 240	A	\$ 0	9,752 (2)	I	By son
Common shares without par value	12/12/2017	G	V 720	D	\$0	0 (2)	I	By wife
Common shares without par value	12/12/2017	G	V 240	A	\$ 0	9,978 (2)	I	By son
Common shares without par value	12/12/2017	G	V 240	A	\$0	9,992 (2)	I	By son

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Date	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)	Underlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	re e	Securities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities	S	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired				Follo

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(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Amount Exercisable Date or

or Number of Shares

# **Reporting Owners**

ABBOTT PARK, IL 60064-6400

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD X Chairman and CEO

**Signatures** 

John A. Berry, by power of attorney for Miles D.
White
12/19/2017

\*\*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) Balance in the Abbott Laboratories Stock Retirement Trust as of December 15, 2017.
- (2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all securities held by his wife and sons.

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