#### IDEXX LABORATORIES INC /DE

Form 4

August 14, 2009

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Washington, D.C. 20549

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RAINES MERILEE	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	IDEXX LABORATORIES INC /DE [IDXX]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specification) below)			
C/O IDEXX LABORATORIES, INC., ONE IDEXX DRIVE	08/12/2009	Corporate Vice President & CFO			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
W	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			

#### WESTBROOK, ME 04092

Stock

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit for Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed 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 Stock	08/12/2009		M	8,228	A	\$ 8.8438	133,730	D	
Common Stock	08/12/2009		M	10,772	A	\$ 8.8438	144,502	D	
Common Stock	08/12/2009		M	21,000	A	\$ 8.8438	165,502	D	
Common	08/12/2009		S	21,000	D	\$ 50.7535	144,502	D	

(1)

Person

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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. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Incentive Stock Optio (right to buy		08/12/2009		M	8,228	(2)	02/04/2010	Common Stock	8,2
Non-Qualifi Stock Optio (right to buy	n \$8.8438	08/12/2009		M	10,772	(3)	02/04/2010	Common Stock	10,7
Non-Qualifi Stock Optio (right to buy	n \$8.8438	08/12/2009		M	21,000	<u>(3)</u>	02/04/2010	Common Stock	21,0

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RAINES MERILEE C/O IDEXX LABORATORIES, INC.

Corporate Vice President & CFO

ONE IDEXX DRIVE WESTBROOK, ME 04092

### **Signatures**

John B. Rogers, Attorney-in-Fact for Merilee
Raines

08/14/2009

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- The sales price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged (1) between \$50.10 and \$51.03. Reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range.
- (2) Grant of option to buy shares of common stock exercisable as to 226 shares on 2/4/2004 and 8,000 shares on 2/4/2005.
- (3) Grant of option to buy shares of common stock exercisable as to 8,000 shares on 2/4/2001 and 2/4/2002, 7,998 shares on 2/4/2003 and 7,774 shares on 2/4/2004.

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