CHEMBIO DIAGNOSTICS, INC.

Form 4 April 19, 2006

FORM 4

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

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may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Siebert Lawrence A.

(First) (Middle)

3661 HORSEBLOCK ROAD

(Street)

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

MEDFORD, NY 11763

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CHEMBIO DIAGNOSTICS, INC. [cemi]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/17/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Code (Instr. 8)

3.

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities

Owned Following Reported (A) Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities Acquired

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Chief Executive Officer

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(I)

(Instr. 4)

X 10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(9-02)

(Instr. 4)

Indirect

Issuer

below)

Person

5. Amount of

Securities

Beneficially

_X__ Director

Applicable Line)

X_ Officer (give title

Estimated average

burden hours per

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4					
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Nun of S
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 1	04/17/2006		D			10,000	05/05/2004	05/04/2011	Common Stock	10,
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 1.2	04/17/2006		D			50,000	05/28/2005	05/28/2011	Common Stock	50,
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 1.5	04/17/2006		D			50,000	05/28/2006	05/28/2011	Common Stock	50,
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 3	04/17/2006		D			50,000	05/05/2004	11/19/2007	Common Stock	50,
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 4	04/17/2006		D			10,000	05/05/2004	12/31/2008	Common Stock	10,
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 0.75	04/17/2006		A		10,000		04/17/2006	05/04/2011	Common Stock	10,
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 0.75	04/17/2006		A		50,000		04/17/2006	05/28/2011	Common Stock	50,
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 0.75	04/17/2006		A		50,000		01/01/2007	05/28/2011	Common Stock	50,

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Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 0.75	04/17/2006	A	50,000	04/17/2006	11/19/2007	Common Stock	50,
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 0.75	04/17/2006	A	10,000	04/17/2006	12/31/2008	Common Stock	10,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Topozonig O William V 12002 500	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Siebert Lawrence A.	••							
3661 HORSEBLOCK ROAD	X	X	Chief Executive Officer					
MEDFORD, NY 11763								

Signatures

Lawrence A.
Siebert

**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) The reporting person agreed to cancellation of an option granted to him, in exchange for a new option having a lower exercise price.
- (2) The number of derivative Securities Beneficially owned following all of the reported transactions on this Form 4 remains unchanged at 220,000.

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