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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * POWERS JOHNNY D			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol IDEXX LABORATORIES INC /DE [IDXX]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) ONE IDEX		Middle)	3. Date of (Month/D 09/05/20	•	ransactio	ı		Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive Vice President			
(Street) WESTBROOK, ME 04092			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					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 Dat (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	omed 3. on Date, if Transac Code Day/Year) (Instr. 3			Oispose 3, 4 and (A) or	ed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	09/05/2012			Code V M	4,000	A	\$ 34.37	7,167 <u>(1)</u>	D		
Common Stock	09/05/2012			S	4,000	D	\$ 97.12	3,167	D		

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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 on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
	Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.37	09/05/2012		M	4,000	(3)	02/13/2016	Common Stock	4,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

POWERS JOHNNY D ONE IDEXX DRIVE WESTBROOK, ME 04092

Executive Vice President

Signatures

Jennifer L. Panciocco, Attorney-in-Fact for Johnny D. Powers

09/06/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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) Includes 46 shares acquired under the IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on 06/30/2012.
- The sale price reported reflects the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged from (2) \$97.11 to \$97.15, inclusive. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to 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.
- (3) Grant of options to buy shares of common stock becomes exercisable as to 2,373 shares on 02/14/2010, 02/14/2011, 02/14/2012, 02/14/2013, and the remaining 2,372 shares on 02/14/2014.

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