

IDEXX LABORATORIES INC /DE  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**RAINES MERILEE**

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) (First) (Middle)  
**ONE IDEXX DRIVE**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**08/10/2010**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**Corporate VP & CFO**

**WESTBROOK, ME 04092**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	08/10/2010		M		10,578	A	\$ 11.3438
Common Stock	08/10/2010		M		16,000	A	\$ 13.315
Common Stock	08/10/2010		M		29,422	A	\$ 11.3438
Common Stock	08/10/2010		S		31,500	D	\$ 59.0175

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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 11.3438	08/10/2010		M	10,578	<sup>(2)</sup> 02/07/2011	Common Stock	10,578
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.315	08/10/2010		M	16,000	<sup>(3)</sup> 02/12/2012	Common Stock	16,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.3438	08/10/2010		M	29,422	<sup>(4)</sup> 02/07/2011	Common Stock	29,422

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
RAINES MERILEE ONE IDEXX DRIVE WESTBROOK, ME 04092			Corporate VP & CFO	

## Signatures

John B. Rogers, Attorney-in-Fact for Merilee Raines      08/11/2010  
 \*\*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).

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The sale price reported reflects the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged from \$58.82 to \$59.39, 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.

- (2) Grant of options to buy shares of common stock becomes exercisable as to 2,578 shares on 2/7/2005 and 8,000 shares on 2/7/2006.
- (3) Grant of options to buy shares of common stock becomes exercisable as to 8,000 shares on 2/12/2003, 2/12/2004 and 2/12/2005, 7,306 shares on 2/12/2006, and the remaining 490 shares on 2/12/2007.
- (4) Grant of options to buy shares of common stock becomes exercisable as to 8,000 shares on 2/7/2002, 2/7/2003 and 2/7/2004, and the remaining 5,422 shares on 2/7/2005.

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