

ABIOMED INC
Form 4
March 01, 2005

FORM 4

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

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HAASER CHARLES B

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O ABIOMED, INC., 22 CHERRY
HILL DRIVE**

(Street)

DANVERS, MA 01923

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
ABIOMED INC [ABMD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____X____ Other (specify
below) below)
Principal Financial Officer / Acting Chief
Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

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)
				(A) or (D)			
				Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock, \$.01 par value					2,379	D	

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)**

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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. 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	\$ 4.844							11/02/2000 ⁽¹⁾	11/02/2008	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	\$ 6.688							07/01/2001 ⁽²⁾	07/01/2009	Common Stock	1,400
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 15.563							06/28/2002 ⁽⁶⁾	06/28/2010	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 18.4							08/08/2003 ⁽⁷⁾	08/08/2011	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 6.75							06/25/2004 ⁽⁸⁾	06/25/2012	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 5.11							06/25/2005 ⁽⁹⁾	06/25/2013	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 12.3							07/01/2005 ⁽¹⁰⁾	07/01/2014	Common Stock	15,000
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 10.8	03/01/2005		A		12,500		03/01/2006 ⁽¹⁰⁾	03/01/2015	Common Stock	12,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HAASER CHARLES B C/O ABIOMED, INC. 22 CHERRY HILL DRIVE DANVERS, MA 01923			Principal Financial Officer	Acting Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Charles B.
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03/01/2005

**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) Original option grant becomes exercisable in annual 25% installments commencing on the date shown.
 - (2) Thirty percent of the original option grant became exercisable on 7/1/01 and were subsequently exercised. Another 30 percent became exercisable on 7/1/02 and an additional 40 percent will become exercisable on 7/1/03.
 - (3) Grant to reporting person of option to buy the number of shares of Common Stock set forth in Table II, Column 7, under the ABIOMED, Inc. 1992 Combination Stock Option Plan.
 - (4) Grant to reporting person of option to buy the number of shares of Common Stock set forth in Table II, Column 7, under the ABIOMED, Inc. 1998 Equity Incentive Plan.
 - (5) Grant to reporting person of option to buy the number of shares of Common Stock set forth in Table II, Column 7, under the ABIOMED, Inc. 2000 Stock Incentive Plan.
 - (6) Thirty percent of this option will become exercisable on each of 6/28/02 and 6/28/03 and an additional 40 percent will become exercisable on 6/28/04.
 - (7) Thirty percent of this option will become exercisable on each of 8/8/03 and 8/8/04 and an additional 40 percent will become exercisable on 8/8/05.
 - (8) Thirty percent of this option will become exercisable on each of 6/25/04 and 6/25/05 and an additional 40 percent will become exercisable on 6/25/06.
 - (9) Thirty percent of this option will become exercisable on each of 6/25/05 and 6/25/06 and an additional 40 percent will become exercisable on 6/25/07.
 - (10) These options become exercisable in annual 25% increments, commencing on the date shown in Table II, Column 6.

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