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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PUHY DOROTHY E			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			ABIOMED INC [ABMD]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	•			
C/O ABIOME HILL DRIVE	D, INC., 22	CHERRY	(Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2011	X Director Officer (give title below)	10% Owner Other (specify below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/0	Group Filing(Check		

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

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

Form filed by More than One Reporting

DANVERS, MA 01923

(State)

(City)

	(City)	(State) (2	Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
	1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securit		r	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect	
	(Instr. 3)	(Manual Buy, 1 cur)	any	ion Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial		
			(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership		
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	05/20/2011		M	5,000	A	\$ 5.4	27,654	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. Nur onof Der Securi Acqui (A) or Dispo (D) (Instr. and 5)	rivative ities red seed of 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of 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) (1)	\$ 5.4	05/20/2011		M		5,000	06/26/2004(2)	06/26/2013	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (4)	\$ 10.41						08/11/2005(3)	08/11/2014	Common Stock	8,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (4)	\$ 10.06						08/09/2006 <u>(3)</u>	08/10/2015	Common Stock	8,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (4)	\$ 13.21						08/08/2007(3)	08/09/2016	Common Stock	8,000
Stock option (right to buy) (4)	\$ 12.69						08/13/2008(3)	08/08/2017	Common Stock	8,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (5)	\$ 18.63						08/12/2009(3)	08/13/2018	Common Stock	13,500
Stock Option (right to buy) (5)	\$ 7.67						08/11/2010(3)	08/12/2019	Common Stock	13,500
Stock Option (right to buy) (5)	\$ 9.99						08/10/2011(3)	08/11/2020	Common Stock	13,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PUHY DOROTHY E

C/O ABIOMED, INC.

22 CHERRY HILL DRIVE

Signatures

DANVERS, MA 01923

/s/ Ian W. McLeod (by power of attorney)

05/23/2011

**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) 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. 1989 Non-Qualified Stock Option Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- (2) This option becomes exercisable in annual 20% increments commencing on the date set forth in Table II, Column 6.
- (3) This option becomes exerciseable in full on the date set forth in Table II, Column 6.
- (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. 2000 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (5) Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares of Common Stock set forth in Table II, Column 7, under the ABIOMED, Inc. 2008 Stock Incentive Plan.

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