

BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 TSINGOS CHRISTINE A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC  
 [BIO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 1000 ALFRED NOBEL DRIVE  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 04/03/2006

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Chief Financial Officer

HERCULES, CA 94547

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Bio-Rad A Common Stock				(A) or (D) Price	615.7332	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 of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 62.47	04/03/2006		A	1,680	04/03/2007 04/03/2016	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	1,680
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 62.47	04/03/2006		A	3,320	04/03/2007 04/03/2016	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	3,320
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 35.5					02/05/2004 02/05/2013	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	10,000
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 53.75					02/04/2005 02/04/2014	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	4,000
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 57.49					02/09/2006 02/09/2015	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	1,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 53.75					02/04/2005 02/04/2014	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	1,900
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 57.49					02/09/2006 02/09/2015	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	4,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
			Chief Financial Officer	

TSINGOS CHRISTINE A  
1000 ALFRED NOBEL DRIVE  
HERCULES, CA 94547

## Signatures

Christine  
Tsingos

04/05/2006

\*\*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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