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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 \*  
 Williams Michael J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 IDEXX LABORATORIES INC /DE [IDXX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)  
 \_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Corporate Vice President

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O IDEXX LABORATORIES, INC., ONE IDEXX DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 09/11/2009

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(Street)

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

WESTBROOK, ME 04092

(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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	09/11/2009		M	112 A	\$ 16.39 7,810 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	09/11/2009		S	112 D	\$ 52.25 7,698	D	
Common Stock	09/11/2009		M	4,150 A	\$ 16.39 11,848	D	
Common Stock	09/11/2009		S	4,150 D	\$ 52.277 <sup>(2)</sup> 7,698	D	
	09/14/2009		M	2,738 A	\$ 16.39 10,436	D	

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Common Stock								
Common Stock	09/14/2009		S	2,738	D	\$ 52.25 (2)	7,698	D
Common Stock	09/14/2009		M	3,000	A	\$ 25.45	10,698	D
Common Stock	09/14/2009		S	3,000	D	\$ 52.25	7,698	D
Common Stock	09/15/2009		M	2,500	A	\$ 16.39	10,198	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)

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.39	09/11/2009		M	112	(3) 01/06/2013	Common Stock	112	
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.39	09/11/2009		M	4,150	(3) 01/06/2013	Common Stock	4,150	
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.39	09/14/2009		M	2,738	(3) 01/06/2013	Common Stock	2,738	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.45	09/14/2009		M	3,000	(4) 02/04/2014	Common Stock	3,000	
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 16.39	09/15/2009		M	2,500	(3) 01/06/2013	Common Stock	2,500	

(right to buy)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Williams Michael J C/O IDEXX LABORATORIES, INC. ONE IDEXX DRIVE WESTBROOK, ME 04092			Corporate Vice President	

## Signatures

John B. Rogers, Attorney-in-Fact for Michael J.  
Williams

09/15/2009

\*\*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) Includes 350 and 77 shares of common stock acquired pursuant to the IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on March 31, 2009 and June 30, 2009, respectively.  
The sale price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged
  - (2) between \$52.25 and \$52.31. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the 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 exercisable in five equal annual increments, beginning on the first anniversary date (January 6, 2004) of the date of the grant.
  - (4) Grant of options to buy shares of common stock exercisable in five equal annual increments, beginning on the first anniversary date (February 5, 2005) of the date of the grant.

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