ABBOTT LABORATORIES

Form 3

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

INITIAL STATEMENT OF 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 [*] Â Michael Edward L (Last) (First) (Middle) 100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD (Street) ABBOTT PARK,Â ILÂ 60064-6400 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2007	3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ABT]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _____ Director _____ 10% Owner __X__ Officer _____ Other (give title below) (specify below) Senior Vice President	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common shares without par value	110,431	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (*e.g.*, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of			

				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/13/1999	02/12/2008	Common shares	14,188	$ 34.7727	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/13/2000	02/12/2008	Common shares	14,188	$ 34.7727	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/13/2001	02/12/2008	Common shares	14,186	$ 34.7727	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/12/2000	02/11/2009	Common shares	13,478	$ 42.4978	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/12/2001	02/11/2009	Common shares	13,478	$ 42.4978	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/12/2002	02/11/2009	Common shares	13,477	$ 42.4978	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/11/2001	02/10/2010	Common shares	17,734	$ 32.611	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/11/2002	02/10/2010	Common shares	17,735	$ 32.611	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/11/2003	02/10/2010	Common shares	17,733	$ 32.611	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/09/2002	02/08/2011	Common shares	17,734	$ 45.4488	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/09/2003	02/08/2011	Common shares	17,734	$ 45.4488	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/09/2004	02/08/2011	Common shares	17,734	$ 45.4488	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/15/2003	02/14/2012	Common shares	17,734	$ 53.625	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/15/2004	02/14/2012	Common shares	17,734	$ 53.625	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/15/2005	02/14/2012	Common shares	17,733	$ 53.625	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/14/2004	02/13/2013	Common shares	17,734	$ 33.2314	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/14/2005	02/13/2013	Common shares	17,734	$ 33.2314	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	02/14/2006	02/13/2013	Common shares	17,734	$ 33.2314	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	07/15/2004	07/14/2013	Common shares	3,547	$ 40.9941	D	Â
Option (right to buy) [(1)]	07/15/2005	07/14/2013		3,546	$ 40.9941	D	Â

			Common shares				
Option (right to buy) (1)	07/15/2006	07/14/2013	Common shares	3,547	$ 40.9941	D	Â
Option (right to buy) (1)	02/20/2005	02/19/2014	Common shares	14,188	$ 41.0317	D	Â
Option (right to buy) (1)	02/20/2006	02/19/2014	Common shares	14,187	$ 41.0317	D	Â
Option (right to buy) (1)	02/20/2007	02/19/2014	Common shares	14,186	$ 41.0317	D	Â
Option (right to buy) (2)	02/18/2006	02/17/2015	Common shares	15,467	$ 46.34	D	Â
Option (right to buy) (2)	02/18/2007	02/17/2015	Common shares	15,467	$ 46.34	D	Â
Option (right to buy) (2)	02/18/2008	02/17/2015	Common shares	15,466	$ 46.34	D	Â
Option (right to buy) (2)	02/17/2007	02/16/2016	Common shares	19,000	$ 44.16	D	Â
Option (right to buy) (2)	02/17/2008	02/16/2016	Common shares	19,000	$ 44.16	D	Â
Option (right to buy) (2)	02/17/2009	02/16/2016	Common shares	19,000	$ 44.16	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Michael Edward L 100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD ABBOTT PARK,Â ILÂ 60064-6400	Â	Â	Â Senior Vice President	Â

Signatures

Deborah K. Koenen, by power of attorney for Edward L. Michael	03/09/2007
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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(1) Employee stock options granted pursuant to the Abbott Laboratories 1996 Incentive Stock Program, including a replacement option feature, in a transaction exempt from Section 16(b) under Rule 16b-3.

(2) Employee stock options granted pursuant to the Abbott Laboratories 1996 Incentive Stock Program in a transaction exempt from Section 16(b) under Rule 16b-3.

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