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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 *
POWERS JOHNNY D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE IDEXX DRIVE

(Street)

WESTBROOK, ME 04092

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/14/2010

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 below) _____ Other (specify below)
Corporate Vice President

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 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	02/14/2010		M		510	A	$ 0	782 (1)	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2010		F		192	D	$ 53.31	590	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 Amo Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nu of S
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 53.31	02/14/2010		A		1,875		(2)	02/13/2017	Common Stock	1,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 53.31	02/14/2010		A		16,168		(3)	02/13/2017	Common Stock	16
Restricted Stock Unit	(4)	02/14/2010		A		1,876		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	1,
Restricted Stock Unit	(5)	02/14/2010		M			510	(5)	(5)	Common Stock	5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
POWERS JOHNNY D ONE IDEXX DRIVE WESTBROOK, ME 04092			Corporate Vice President	

Signatures

John B. Rogers, Attorney-in-Fact for Johnny D. Powers, PhD	02/17/2010
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

***** If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Includes 88, 95 and 89 shares of common stock acquired under the IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on June 30, September 30 and December 31, 2009.

(2) Grant of option to buy shares of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock becomes exercisable on the fifth anniversary date (2/14/2015) of the date of grant.

(3) Grant of option to buy shares of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock exercisable as to 3,609 shares on each of 2/14/2011, 2/14/2012 and 2/14/2013, 3,608 shares on 2/14/2014 and 1,733 shares on 2/14/2015.

(4) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock. Restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning on 2/14/2011.

(5) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock. Restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning on 2/14/2010.

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