ABIOMED INC Form 4 August 11, 2005

FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **GOTTLIEB DAVID**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ABIOMED INC [ABMD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(First) (Middle) (Last)

> (Month/Day/Year) 08/10/2005

C/O ABIOMED, INC., 22 CHERRY HILL DRIVE

(State)

(Street)

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

3.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

below)

Issuer

X_ Director

Officer (give title

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

D

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (specify

4. Securities

DANVERS, MA 01923

(City)

(Instr. 3)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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(A) or

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Common

Stock, \$.01 par value

1,569

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 out 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option, (right to buy) (1)	\$ 7.17					02/23/2005(2)	02/23/2014	Common Stock	25,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 10.41					08/11/2005(4)	08/11/2014	Common Stock	8,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 10.06	08/10/2005		A	8,000	08/09/2006 <u>(4)</u>	08/10/2015	Common Stock	8,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
GOTTLIEB DAVID C/O ABIOMED, INC. 22 CHERRY HILL DRIVE DANVERS, MA 01923	X					

Signatures

Charles B. Haaser
(attorney-in-fact)

**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) 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.

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(4) This option becomes exercisable in full on the date set forth in Table II, Column 6.

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