

IDEXX LABORATORIES INC /DE
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**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 *
 RAINES MERILEE

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 ONE IDEXX DRIVE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 02/25/2013

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Executive VP & CFO

WESTBROOK, ME 04092

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 02/25/2013 | | M | | 4,433 | A | \$ 56.95 |
| Common Stock | 02/25/2013 | | M | | 4,527 | A | \$ 34.37 |
| Common Stock | 02/25/2013 | | M | | 4,060 | A | \$ 53.31 |
| Common Stock | 02/25/2013 | | M | | 2,851 | A | \$ 77.59 |

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) | \$ 56.95 | 02/25/2013 | | M | 1,755 | <u>(1)</u> 02/13/2015 | Common Stock | 1,755 | |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 56.95 | 02/25/2013 | | M | 2,678 | <u>(2)</u> 02/13/2015 | Common Stock | 2,678 | |
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 34.37 | 02/25/2013 | | M | 1 | <u>(3)</u> 02/13/2016 | Common Stock | 1 | |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 34.37 | 02/25/2013 | | M | 4,526 | <u>(4)</u> 02/13/2016 | Common Stock | 4,526 | |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 53.31 | 02/25/2013 | | M | 4,060 | <u>(5)</u> 02/13/2017 | Common Stock | 4,060 | |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 77.59 | 02/25/2013 | | M | 2,851 | <u>(6)</u> 02/13/2018 | Common Stock | 2,851 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| RAINES MERILEE ONE IDEXX DRIVE WESTBROOK, ME 04092 | | | Executive VP & CFO | |

Signatures

Conan R. Deady, Attorney-in-Fact for Merilee
Raines

02/27/2013

__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 of options to buy shares of common stock that vest on the fifth anniversary date 02/14/2013 of the grant.
 - (2) Grant of options to buy shares of common stock becomes exercisable as to 4,434 shares on 02/14/2009, 02/14/2010, 02/14/2011 and 02/14/2012, and the remaining 2,678 shares on 02/14/2013.
 - (3) Grant of options to buy shares of common stock becomes exercisable as to 1 share on 02/14/2010 and 02/14/2013, and the remaining 2,909 shares on 02/14/2014.
 - (4) Grant of options to buy shares of common stock becomes exercisable as to 4,527 shares on 02/14/2010, 02/14/2011, 02/14/2012, 4,526 shares on 02/14/2013, and the remaining 1,618 shares on 02/14/2014.
 - (5) Grant of options to buy shares of common stock becomes exercisable as to 4,060 shares on 02/14/2011, 02/14/2012, 02/14/2013, 4,059 shares on 02/14/2014, and the remaining 2,184 shares on 02/14/2015.
 - (6) Grant of options to buy shares of common stock becomes exercisable as to 2,851 shares on 02/14/2012, 02/14/2013, 02/14/2014 and 02/14/2015, and the remaining 1,563 shares on 02/14/2016.

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