BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC

Form 4 June 13, 2008

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TSINGOS CHRISTINE A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC

(Check all applicable)

CFO

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

[BIO, BIO.B]

(Middle)

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

06/11/2008

Director X_ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify below)

C/O BIO-RAD LABORATORIES. INC., 1000 ALFRED NOBEL DRIVE

(Street)

(First)

4. 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

D

HERCULES, CA 94547

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Price Code V Amount (D)

Bio-Rad A

Common 06/11/2008 Α 1.000 Α \$0 2,695.0654

Stock

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day	ate	7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 88	06/11/2008		A	3,000	<u>(1)</u>	06/11/2018	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	3,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
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TSINGOS CHRISTINE A C/O BIO-RAD LABORATORIES, INC. 1000 ALFRED NOBEL DRIVE HERCULES, CA 94547			CFO			

Signatures

Christine A
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**Signature of Reporting Person

O6/13/2008

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) The stock option vests over five years at 20% per year on the yearly anniversary date of the grant.

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Clayton, Dubilier & Rice Fund VIII, L.P. By: CD&R Associates VIII, Ltd., its general partner By: Theresa A. Gore, VP, Treas. and Asst. Sec. 03/19/2010 Signature of Reporting Person Date

CD&R Friends & Family Fund VIII, L.P. By: CD&R Associates VIII, Ltd., its general partner By:Theresa A. Gore, VP, Treas. and Asst. Sec. 03/19/2010_Signature of Reporting Person Date

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CD&R Associates VIII, L.P. By: CD&R Investment Associates VIII, Ltd., its general partner By:Theresa A. Gore, VP, Treas. and Asst. Sec. 03/19/2010_**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- (1) This conversion price ("Conversion Price") is calculated based on an initial conversion price of \$1.2748 adjusted to give effect to the 1 for 5 reverse stock split of the issuer's common stock that became effective on March 5, 2010 (the "Reverse Stock Split")
- On March 17, 2010, the board of directors of the issuer (the "Board") declared, and the issuer paid, an aggregate of 6,361.5815 shares of Series B Cumulative Convertible Participating Preferred Stock (the "Series B Stock") to Clayton, Dubilier & Rice Fund VIII, LP ("Fund VIII") and CD&R Friends & Family Fund VIII, LP ("F&F VIII"), as dividends for the period from December 30, 2009 to March 15, 2010.
 - Pursuant to the Certificate of Designations, Preferences and Rights (the "Certificate of Designations") of the Series B Stock, the Series B Stock accrues dividend at a rate of 12% per annum or, if paid in cash on the applicable Dividend Payment Date (as defined below), 8% per annum, compounding quarterly and payable in kind or in cash (at the option of the Board), if, as, and when declared by the Board on
- (3) March 15, June 15, September 15 and December 15 of each year beginning on December 15, 2009 (each, a "Dividend Payment Date"). The Certificate of Designations also provides that (i) the holders of Preferred Stock have the right to vote such Preferred Stock on an as converted basis and (ii) the Preferred Stock is convertible into shares of common stock of the issuer at any time at the option of the holders of Preferred Stock at a rate equal to the liquidation preference of such Preferred Stock plus any accrued and unpaid dividends divided by the Conversion Price (see note 1 above for
 - In addition, pursuant to the Certificate of Designations, the Preferred Stock dividends accrued for the period from October 21, 2009 until December 29, 2009 are payable in cash only. Such dividends have not been declared by the Board and have not yet been paid to the
- (4) holders of Preferred Stock. Such dividends amount to \$5,774,610.52. Until such cash dividends are paid to the holders of Preferred Stock, they will be convertible into additional shares of the Issuer's common stock pursuant to the conversion formula set forth in the paragraph above.
- Holders of Series B Stock have the right at any time to convert the Series B Stock into shares of the issuer's common stock to the extent (5) that there is a sufficient number of authorized and unissued (or issued and included in treasury) and otherwise unreserved shares of common stock.
- On or after the tenth anniversary of the closing on October 20, 2009, (i) holders of the Series B Stock have the right to redeem all, but not less than all, of their Series B Stock and (ii) the issuer has the right to redeem all but not less than all, shares of issued and outstanding Series B Stock. Holders have the right to redeem all, but not less than all, of its Series B Stock upon certain change of control events. Series B Stock automatically converts upon the occurrence of certain business combinations.
- Fund VIII directly owns 255,715.1178 shares of the Series B Stock and F&F VIII directly owns 646.4638 shares of the Series B Stock.

 As general partner of both Fund VIII and F&F VIII, CD&R Associates VIII, Ltd. may be deemed to own directly a total of 256,361.5815 shares of Series B Stock. CD&R Associates VIII, L.P., CD&R Associates VIII, Ltd. and CD&R Investment Associates VIII, Ltd. expressly disclaim beneficial ownership of the shares held by Fund VII and F&F Fund VIII.
- (8) CD&R Associates VIII, Ltd. Is a wholly-owned subsidiary of CD&R Associates VIII, L.P., of which CD&R Investment Associates VIII, Ltd. is the general partner.

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