IDEXX LABORATORIES INC /DE

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MCKEON BRIAN P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

IDEXX LABORATORIES INC /DE

(Check all applicable)

[IDXX]

(Last) (First)

ONE IDEXX DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director 10% Owner

(Month/Day/Year)

05/18/2005

Other (specify Officer (give title below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Instr. 4)

(Middle)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Issuer

WESTBROOK, ME 04092

(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)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Following

or Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and Derivative Transaction Derivative **Expiration Date** Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Code (Month/Day/Year) Security or Exercise Securities any

7. Title and Amount

Underlying Securitie

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	(Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 58.54	05/18/2005		A		2,500		<u>(1)</u>	05/17/2015	Common Stock	2,50

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MCKEON BRIAN P
ONE IDEXX DRIVE X
WESTBROOK, ME 04092

Signatures

Conan R. Deady, Attorney-in-Fact for Brian P.

McKeon

05/19/2005

**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 option to buy 2,500 shares of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. Common Stock which vests fully on the earlier of one year from the date of grant (5/18/2005) or the next annual meeting of stockholders.

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