

BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC

Form 4

September 14, 2015

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SODERBERG SHAWN MARIE

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC  
[BIO, BIOB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/10/2015

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
EVP, General Counsel, Sec

(Street)

HERCULES, CA 94547

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  
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Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Bio-Rad A<br>Common<br>Stock          | 09/10/2015                              |                                                             | M                                       | 400 <sup>(1)</sup>                                                      | A \$ 0 628.4252 <sup>(2)</sup>                                                                                     | D                                                                    |                                                                   |
| Bio-Rad A<br>Common<br>Stock          | 09/11/2015                              |                                                             | S                                       | 152 <sup>(3)</sup>                                                      | D \$ 137.5 476.4252                                                                                                | 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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired (A)<br>or Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount<br>Underlying Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
|                                                     |                                                                    |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V                                                                                                            | (A)                                                            | (D)                                                            |                                        |
| Restricted<br>Stock Units                           | \$ 0 <sup>(4)</sup>                                                | 09/10/2015                              |                                                             | M                                    |                                                                                                              | 400                                                            | <sup>(5)</sup><br><sup>(5)</sup>                               | Bio-Rad<br>A<br>Common<br>Stock<br>40  |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option<br>(right to buy)     | \$ 139.56                                                          | 09/11/2015                              |                                                             | A                                    |                                                                                                              | 2,500                                                          | <sup>(6)</sup><br>09/11/2025                                   | Bio-Rad<br>A<br>Common<br>Stock<br>2,5 |
| Restricted<br>Stock Units                           | \$ 0 <sup>(4)</sup>                                                | 09/11/2015                              |                                                             | A                                    |                                                                                                              | 2,500                                                          | <sup>(7)</sup><br><sup>(7)</sup>                               | Bio-Rad<br>A<br>Common<br>Stock<br>2,5 |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                                           | Relationships                    |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|                                                                                                          | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| SODERBERG SHAWN MARIE<br>C/O BIO-RAD LABORATORIES, INC.<br>1000 ALFRED NOBEL DRIVE<br>HERCULES, CA 94547 | EVP, General Counsel, Sec        |

## Signatures

Shawn M.  
Soderberg 09/11/2015

                      
\*\*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) Shares of Class A common stock acquired on the vesting of restricted stock units.
- (2) Includes 46.5272 and 47.8980 shares acquired under the Bio-Rad Employee Stock Purchase Plan on 3/31/15 and 6/30/15, respectively.
- (3) Sold by the issuer on behalf of the reporting person to satisfy certain tax obligations in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units, all in accordance with a restricted stock unit award agreement.
- (4) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Bio-Rad Class A common stock.
- (5) The restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning September 10, 2015.
- (6) The stock option vests over five years at 20% per year on the yearly anniversary date of the grant.
- (7) The restricted stock units vest over five years at 20% per year on the yearly anniversary date of the grant.

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