

POLEWACZYK JAMES F  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
POLEWACZYK JAMES F

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)  
02/14/2010

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Corporate Vice President

WESTBROOK, ME 04092

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 Person

(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	02/14/2010		M	716 A \$ 0	1,771	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2010		M	258 A \$ 0	2,029	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2010		M	400 A \$ 0	2,429	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2010		F	516 D \$ 53.31	1,913	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 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 53.31	02/14/2010		A	1,875	(1) 02/13/2017	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 53.31	02/14/2010		A	11,657	(2) 02/13/2017	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Unit	(3)	02/14/2010		A	1,407	(3) (3)	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Unit	(4)	02/14/2010		M	716	(4) (4)	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Unit	(5)	02/14/2010		M	258	(5) (5)	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Unit	(6)	02/14/2010		M	400	(6) (6)	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
POLEWACZYK JAMES F ONE IDEXX DRIVE WESTBROOK, ME 04092			Corporate Vice President	

## Signatures

John B. Rogers, Attorney-in-Fact for James F. Polewaczyk  
02/17/2010

\_\_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 shares of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock becomes exercisable on the fifth anniversary date (2/14/2015) of the date of grant.
  - (2) Grant of option to buy shares of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock exercisable as to 2,707 shares on each of 2/14/2011 and 2/14/2012, 2,706 shares on each of 2/14/2013 and 2/14/2014 and 831 shares on 2/14/2015.
  - (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock. Restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning on 2/14/2011.
  - (4) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock. Restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning on 2/14/2008.
  - (5) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock. Restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning on 2/14/2009.
  - (6) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock. Restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning on 2/14/2010.

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