

ABIOMED INC  
Form 4  
March 25, 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 \*  
MINOGUE MICHAEL R

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ABIOMED, INC., 22  
CHERRY HILL DRIVE

(Street)

DANVERS, MA 01923

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
ABIOMED INC [ABMD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/23/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify  
below)

President, CEO, Chairman

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock \$.01 par value	03/23/2015		A	80,000	A \$ 0 <sup>(5)</sup>	298,803	D
Common Stock \$.01 par value	03/23/2015		F	19,340	D \$ 61.43	279,463	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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8.
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	
Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 13.57					06/01/2007	06/01/2016	Common Stock 82,000
Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 11.27					05/30/2008	05/30/2017	Common Stock 0
Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 13.8					05/23/2009 <sup>(2)</sup>	05/23/2018	Common Stock 0
Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 18.63					06/15/2009 <sup>(4)</sup>	08/13/2018	Common Stock 0
Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 5.86					05/28/2010 <sup>(2)</sup>	05/28/2019	Common Stock 0
Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 5.86					05/28/2010 <sup>(2)</sup>	05/28/2019	Common Stock 0
Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 10.03					06/03/2011 <sup>(2)</sup>	06/03/2020	Common Stock 0
Stock Option (Right to	\$ 22.44					05/22/2013 <sup>(2)</sup>	05/22/2022	Common Stock 0

Buy) <sup>(3)</sup>

Stock

Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 23.15	05/14/2014 <sup>(2)</sup>	05/14/2024	Common stock	0
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Stock

Option (right to buy) <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 21.55	05/14/2015	05/14/2024	Common Stock	0
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MINOGUE MICHAEL R C/O ABIOMED, INC., 22 CHERRY HILL DRIVE DANVERS, MA 01923	X		President, CEO, Chairman	

## Signatures

/s/ Stephen C. McEvoy (by power of attorney)	03/25/2015
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\*\*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 to reporting person of option to buy shares of Common Stock under the ABIOMED, Inc. 2000 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (2) These options become exercisable in annual 25% increments, commencing on the date shown in Table II, Column 6.
- (3) Grant to reporting person of option to buy the number of shares of Common Stock set forth in Table II, Column 7, under the ABIOMED, Inc. 2008 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (4) These options become exercisable based on the achievement of certain performance milestones.

- These performance-based awards of restricted stock units were granted to this reporting person on May 14, 2014. One half of these
- (5) restricted stock units vested on March 23, 2015 (into an equal number of shares of common stock) upon the issuer's achievement of a certain regulatory milestone with the remaining vesting on the first anniversary of such achievement.

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