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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

MINOGUE	•	-	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABIOMED INC [ABMD]	
(T4)	(F:+)	OM: 141-7		

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year) __X__ Director
03/31/2015 __X__ Officer (g

X Director _____ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title _____ Other (specify below) below) President, CEO, Chairman

CHERRY HILL DRIVE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Zip)

Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

___ Form filed by More than One Reporting

DANVERS, MA 01923

(State)

(City)

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

1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securit	ties Acquired	(A)	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	omr Dispos	sed of (D)		Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and 5)		Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
		•					Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported	(I)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			C 1 W		or		(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D) Pri	ce			
Common					¢				
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Stock \$.01 03/31/2015 A 349 (5) A \$ 279,812 D

par value

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$ 13.57					06/01/2007	06/01/2016	Common Stock	0	
Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$ 11.27					05/30/2008	05/30/2017	Common Stock	0	
Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$ 13.8					05/23/2009(2)	05/23/2018	Common Stock	0	
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 18.63					06/15/2009(4)	08/13/2018	Common Stock	0	
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 5.86					05/28/2010(2)	05/28/2019	Common Stock	0	
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 5.86					05/28/2010(2)	05/28/2019	Common Stock	0	
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 10.03					06/03/2011(2)	06/03/2020	Common Stock	0	
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 22.44					05/22/2013(2)	05/22/2022	Common Stock	0	

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Stock Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 23.15	05/14/2014(2)	05/14/2024	Common stock	0
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 21.55	05/14/2015	05/14/2024	Common Stock	0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
I a garage	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)

**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.
- (5) These shares of common stock were acquired by the Reporting Person through participation in the ABIOMED, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan, qualified under Section 423 of the Internal Revenue Code, and the transaction was exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).

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