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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction See Instruction 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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Weber David M Issuer Symbol ABIOMED INC [ABMD] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title C/O ABIOMED, INC., 22 CHERRY 03/09/2016 below) below) HILL DRIVE Chief Operating Officer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting DANVERS, MA 01923 Person

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Disposed of	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
					Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				(4)	Reported		
				(A)	Transaction(s)		
			C + V	or or	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
~			Code V	Amount (D) Price			
Common				\$			
Stock, \$.01	03/09/2016		$M_{\underline{(5)}}$	479 (5) A \$ 5.86	118,129	D	
par value				3.80			
Par various							
Common							
Stock, \$.01	03/09/2016		$S^{(5)}$	479 ⁽⁵⁾ D \$ 85	117.650	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (\emph{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \\ \end{tabular}$

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)	tiomf Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and 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)	\$ 13.88						04/23/2008(2)	04/23/2017	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)	\$ 5.86	03/09/2016		M <u>(5)</u>		479 (5)	05/28/2010(2)	05/28/2019	Common Stock	479
Stock Options (right to buy) (3)	\$ 5.86						03/31/2010(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
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 23.15						05/14/2014(2)	05/14/2023	Common Stock	0
Stock Option (Right to	\$ 21.55						05/14/2015(4)	05/14/2024	Common Stock	0

Buy) (3)

Stock

Option (right to \$66.25

05/13/2016⁽⁴⁾ 05/13/2025

Common Stock

0

buy) (3)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Weber David M

C/O ABIOMED, INC. 22 CHERRY HILL DRIVE

DANVERS, MA 01923

Chief Operating Officer

Signatures

/s/ Stephen C. McEvoy (by power of attorney)

03/11/2016

**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 the number of shares of Common Stock set forth in Table II, Column 7, under the ABIOMED, Inc. 2000 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (2) This option becomes 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 in annual 33-1/3% increments, commencing on the date shown in Table II, Column 6.
- (5) Sale of common stock pursuant to reporting owner's 10b5-1 plan.

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