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

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading KING DAVID P Issuer Symbol LABORATORY CORP OF (Check all applicable) AMERICA HOLDINGS [LH] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X_ Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title . _ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 430 SOUTH SPRING STREET 05/28/2008 President & CEO (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 **BURLINGTON, NC 27215** 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or		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	05/28/2008		$S_{\underline{(1)}}$	200	D	\$ 74.82	73,972.0365 (2)	D			
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S(1)	200	D	\$ 74.81	73,772.0365 (2)	D			
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S(1)	200	D	\$ 74.8	73,572.0365 (2)	D			
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S(1)	100	D	\$ 74.97	73,472.0365 (2)	D			
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S(1)	100	D	\$ 74.79	73,372.0365 (2)	D			

Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 74.78	72,972.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	500	D	\$ 74.77	72,472.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 74.76	72,272.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 74.75	71,972.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 74.74	71,572.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 74.73	71,472.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 74.72	71,072.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 74.71	70,972.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 74.7	70,872.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 74.69	70,672.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 74.68	70,472.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 74.66	70,372.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 74.61	70,272.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 74.6	69,972.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 74.58	69,872.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 74.56	69,772.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 74.52	69,472.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 74.51	69,172.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	500	D	\$ 74.5	68,672.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 74.49	68,472.0365 (2)	D
	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D			D

Common Stock					\$ 74.48	68,272.0365 (2)	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 74.47	68,172.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 74.45	68,072.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 74.43	67,872.0365 (2)	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008	S(1)	100	D	\$ 74.41	67,772.0365 (2)	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)

Der Sec	Fitle of ivative urity etr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or		ate	7. Title Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo
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					(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(HISti
				C-1- V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Transfer of the second	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
KING DAVID P 430 SOUTH SPRING STREET BURLINGTON, NC 27215	X		President & CEO					

Signatures

By: /s/ BRADFORD T. SMITH, Attorney-in-Fact for David P. 05/30/2008 King

3 Reporting Owners

**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) Pursuant to a plan in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
- (2) Amount shown reflects a 2-for-1 stock split effective on May 10, 2002.

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