Contreras Jaime Form 4 April 02, 2019

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

OMB APPROVAL

3235-0287

January 31,

2005

0.5

OMB

Number:

Expires:

response...

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Estimated average

burden hours per

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Contreras Jaime		Symbol ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ABT]					Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)		
100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD			(Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2019					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President		
ABBOTT F	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				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						Person		
	•						•	uired, Disposed o		·
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed	d of (D)	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 shares without par value								34,706 (1)	D	
Common shares without par value								22 (2)	I	Profit Sharing Trust
Common shares without par value								153,319 (3)	I	Jaime Contreras Marvan 2006

								Living Trust
Common shares without par value	3/31/2019	A	935 (4)	A	\$ 0	3,530 (5)	I	By Spouse
Common shares without par value	3/31/2019	F	385	D	\$ 79.94	3,145 (5)	I	By Spouse
Common shares without par value						12,081 (6)	I	Living Trust (by spouse)

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

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

SEC 1474 (9-02)

> 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	ctionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day	/Year)	Under	rlying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	8) Derivati	ve		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securitie	es		(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquire	d		Ì		
	J				(A) or					
					Dispose	d				
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3.					
					4, and 5					
					i, una s	,				
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration		or	
							•	Title	Number	
						Exercisable	Date		of	
				Code	V (A) (D)			Shares	

Reporting Owners

ABBOTT PARK, IL 60064

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Troporous o water tumo, rauntess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Contreras Jaime								
100 ABBOTT PARK ROAD			Senior Vice President					

Reporting Owners 2

Signatures

Jessica H. Paik, by power of attorney for Jaime Contreras

04/02/2019

**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) Excludes 68,740 shares previously directly owned which were transferred to the Jaime Contreras Marvan 2006 Living Trust on March 26, 2019.
- (2) Balance in the Abbott Laboratories Stock Retirement Trust as of April 1, 2019.
- (3) Held in the Jaime Contreras Marvan 2006 Living Trust. The reporting person is sole trustee of the trust. The trust is revocable.
 - This grant represents a restricted stock unit award under the Abbott Laboratories 2017 Incentive Stock Program. The award has a 3-year
- (4) term, with no more than 1/3 of the award vesting on each anniversary of the grant date. The award includes the right to have stock withheld for tax purposes.
- (5) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all securities held by his spouse.
- (6) Held in spouse's living trust. The reporting person's spouse is sole trustee of the trust. The trust is revocable. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

Signatures 3