

BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC
 Form 3
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

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| <p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â Crowley Michael</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>C/O BIO-RAD LABORATORIES, INC.,Â 1000 ALFRED NOBEL DRIVE</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>HERCULES,Â CAÂ 94547</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p> | <p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>12/23/2014</p> | <p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC [BIO, BIOB]</p> | <p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below)</p> <p>EVP, GBL Commercial Operations</p> | <p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p> | <p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p> |
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Bio-Rad A Common Stock | 2,312 | D | Â |

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

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

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
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| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | Security | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | |
|------------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------------|----------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Restricted Stock Units | Â (1) | Â (1) | Bio-Rad A Common Stock | 250 | \$ 0 (6) | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units | Â (2) | Â (2) | Bio-Rad A Common Stock | 462 | \$ 0 (6) | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units | Â (3) | Â (3) | Bio-Rad A Common Stock | 1,002 | \$ 0 (6) | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units | Â (4) | Â (4) | Bio-Rad A Common Stock | 1,504 | \$ 0 (6) | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units | Â (5) | Â (5) | Bio-Rad A Common Stock | 1,945 | \$ 0 (6) | D | Â |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | Other |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------------------------------|--|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | | |
| Crowley Michael C/O BIO-RAD LABORATORIES, INC. 1000 ALFRED NOBEL DRIVE HERCULES, CA 94547 | Â | Â | Â EVP, GBL Commercial Operations | | Â |

Signatures

Michael Crowley
12/30/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) The restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning September 8, 2011.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning November 4, 2012.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning September 12, 2013.
- (4) The restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning September 11, 2014.
- (5) The restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning September 10, 2015.
- (6) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Bio-Rad Class A common stock.

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