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FORM 4	UNITED	STATES					E COMMISSIO	N OMB	3235-0287		
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(Print or Type Respon	nses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> DALEY WILLIAM M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABBOTT LABORATORIES [ABT				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last) ((First) (1	Middle)		of Earliest T			(Cho	eck all applicab	le)		
JPMORGAN CHASE & CO., 1 CHASE TOWER, 10 S. DEARBORN, STE. 0883			(Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2008				Officer (give title 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
CHICAGO, IL 60603			Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-l	Derivative	Securities A	Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned		
	ansaction Date th/Day/Year)	Execution any	Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	(A) or 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)		
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)											
1. Title of 2.	3. Tra	ansaction D	ate 3A. I	Deemed	4.	5. Num	ber 6. Date Exercis	able and 7. T	itle and Amount of		

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr.	8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Securi (Instr.
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Equivalent Units	\$ 0 <u>(1)</u>	03/31/2008		А		435		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common shares	435	\$ 55
Reporting Owners												
	Relationships							ps				
Reporting Owner Name / Address				Director		10% Owner	-	ficer Other	r			
DALEY WILLIAM M JPMORGAN CHASE & CO. 1 CHASE TOWER, 10 S. DEARBORN, STE. 0883 CHICAGO, IL 60603			STE. 0883	X								
Signatu	ures											
John A. Berry, by power of attorney for William M. Daley			William M.		04	4/02/2	008					
	<u>**</u> Signature o	of Reporting Person				Date						
Explan	ation of	f Respon	ses:									

- * 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) Director fees credited to a stock equivalent unit account under a grantor trust established by the director and paid, in cash, generally at age 65 or upon retirement from the board. The stock equivalent units earn the same return as if the fees were invested in Abbott stock.
- (2) Balance includes stock equivalent units acquired pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature.

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