

HUTTON RONALD W
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HUTTON RONALD W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC
[BIO, BIO.B]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
06/10/2012

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
____ 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)
Treasurer

C/O BIO-RAD LABORATORIES, INC., 1000 ALFRED NOBEL DRIVE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

HERCULES, CA 94547

(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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Bio-Rad A Common Stock	06/10/2012		M	134 ⁽¹⁾	\$ 0	D	
Bio-Rad A Common Stock	06/10/2012		F	49	\$ 96.58	D	
Bio-Rad A Common Stock	06/11/2012		F	49	\$ 96.76	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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price or Derivative Security (Instr. 3)
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽³⁾	06/10/2012		M	134	⁽⁴⁾ / ⁽⁴⁾	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	134 \$ C

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HUTTON RONALD W C/O BIO-RAD LABORATORIES, INC. 1000 ALFRED NOBEL DRIVE HERCULES, CA 94547			Treasurer	

Signatures

Ronald W.
Hutton 06/12/2012

**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) Shares of Class A common stock acquired on the vesting of restricted stock units.
- (2) Includes 17.5171 and 13.6124 shares acquired under the Bio-Rad Employee Stock Purchase Plan on 12/31/2011 and 3/31/2012, respectively.

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- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Bio-Rad Class A common stock.
- (4) The restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning June 10, 2010.

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