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(Last)	(First)	Middle)			Transaction	L		(Che	eck all applica	ible)
C/O ABIO HILL DRI	MED, INC., 22 C VE	HERRY	(Month/ 02/24/2	Day/Year) 2010				X Director Officer (giv below)	e title (below)	.0% Owner Other (specify
DANIUED	(Street)			nendment, I onth/Day/Ye	Date Origin ear)	al		6. Individual or Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Form filed by	One Reporting	g Person
	S, MA 01923							Person		1 0
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						quired, Disposed of		•
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution	Date, if	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) Code V		sposed	l 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 Stock, \$0.01 par value								58,647	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	02/24/2010			S	10,000	D	\$ 10.01	2,111,231	I	By Genzyme Corporation $\frac{(3)}{2}$
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	02/25/2010			S	40,000	D	\$ 10.03	2,071,231	I	By Genzyme Corporation $\frac{(3)}{2}$

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year e			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$ 19.69					08/09/2001 <u>(2)</u>	08/09/2010	Common Stock	5,000	
Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$ 18.4					08/08/2002 <u>(2)</u>	08/08/2012	Common Stock	5,000	
Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$ 4.71					08/06/2003 <u>(2)</u>	08/06/2013	Common Stock	5,000	
Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$ 5.15					08/13/2004 <u>(2)</u>	08/13/2014	Common Stock	5,000	
Stock Option (right to buy) (4)	\$ 10.41					08/11/2005(2)	08/11/2014	Common Stock	8,000	
Stock Option (right to buy) (4)	\$ 10.06					08/09/2006 <u>(2)</u>	08/10/2015	Common Stock	8,000	
	\$ 13.21					08/08/2007(2)	08/09/2016		8,000	

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Stock Option (right to buy) (4)				Common Stock	
Stock option (right to buy) (4)	\$ 12.69	08/13/2008 <u>(2)</u>	08/08/2017	Common Stock	8,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (5)	\$ 18.63	08/12/2009 <u>(2)</u>	08/13/2018	Common Stock	8,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (5)	\$ 7.67	08/11/2010 <u>(2)</u>	08/12/2019	Common Stock	12,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
TERMEER HENRI A C/O ABIOMED, INC. 22 CHERRY HILL DRIVE DANVERS, MA 01923	X						
Signatures							
/s/ Ian W. McLeod (by power of attorney)	of 02/26/2010						
**Signature of Reporting Person		D	ate				

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) Grant to reporting person of option to buy the number of shares of Common Stock set forth in Table II, Column 7, under the ABIOMED, Inc. 1989 Non-Qualified Stock Option Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- (2) This option becomes exercisable in full on the date set forth in Table II, Column 6.

The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the (3) reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes. The reporting person is the Chief Executive Officer of Genzyme Corporation.

- (4) Grant to reporting person of option to buy the number of shares of Common Stock set forth in Table II, Column 7, under the ABIOMED, Inc. 2000 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (5) Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares of Common Stock set forth in Table II, Column 7, under the ABIOMED, Inc. 2008 Stock Incentive Plan.

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