

WALLEN WILLIAM C
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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 *
WALLEN WILLIAM C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
IDEXX LABORATORIES INC /DE [IDXX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)
 Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Senior Vice President

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O IDEXX LABORATORIES
INC, ONE IDEXX DRIVE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/14/2009

WESTBROOK, ME 04092

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

(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			
				Code	V	Amount		
Common Stock	02/14/2009		M	196	A	\$ 0	34,027	D
Common Stock	02/14/2009		M	268	A	\$ 0	34,295	D
Common Stock	02/14/2009		M	198	A	\$ 0	34,493	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		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
					Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.37	02/14/2009		A	V	(A) 1	(1)	08/13/2010	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.37	02/14/2009		A	V	(A) 10,273	(1)	08/13/2010	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Unit	(2)	02/14/2009		M		(A) 196	(2)	(2)	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Unit	(3)	02/14/2009		M		(A) 268	(3)	(3)	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Unit	(4)	02/14/2009		M		(A) 198	(4)	(4)	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Unit	(5)	02/14/2009		A		(A) 727	(5)	(5)	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WALLEN WILLIAM C C/O IDEXX LABORATORIES INC ONE IDEXX DRIVE WESTBROOK, ME 04092			Senior Vice President	

Signatures

John B. Rogers, Attorney-in-Fact for William C. Wallen, PhD

02/18/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) Grant of option to buy shares of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock becomes fully exercisable on February 14, 2010.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock. The restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning on February 14, 2007.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock. The restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning on February 14, 2008.
- (4) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock. The restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning on February 14, 2009.
- (5) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. common stock. The restricted stock units vest fully on February 14, 2010.

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