QUEST DIAGNOSTICS INC

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WILENSKY GAIL R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

QUEST DIAGNOSTICS INC [DGX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/18/2014

_X__ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner __ Other (specify

C/O QUEST DIAGNOSTICS INCORPORATED, 3 GIRALDA **FARMS**

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

MADISON, NJ 07940

(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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of	` ′	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	02/18/2014		M	20,000	A	\$ 42.625	35,927	D	
Common Stock	02/18/2014		M	10,000	A	\$ 49.04	45,927	D	
Common Stock	02/18/2014		S	20,000	D	\$ 52.9292 (1)	25,927	D	
Common Stock	02/18/2014		S	10,000	D	\$ 52.9457	15,927	D	

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 42.625	02/18/2014		M	20,000	(3)	05/04/2014	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 49.04	02/18/2014		M	10,000	<u>(4)</u>	05/08/2014	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
WILENSKY GAIL R C/O QUEST DIAGNOSTICS INCORPORATED 3 GIRALDA FARMS MADISON, NJ 07940	X					

Signatures

William J. O'Shaughnessy, Jr., Attorney in Fact for Gail R.
Wilensky

02/19/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$52.91 to \$52.98. The price reported above reflects the weighted (1) average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$52.93 to \$52.98. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- (3) The options vested in three annual installments beginning with the first on May 4, 2005, the second on May 4, 2006 and the final on May 4, 2007.
- (4) The options vested in three annual installments beginning with the first on May 8, 2008, the second on May 8, 2009 and the final on May 8, 2010.

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