Weber David M Form 4 June 01, 2009

# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Weber David M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

below)

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

ABIOMED INC [ABMD]

(Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

C/O ABIOMED, INC., 22 CHERRY

(First)

05/28/2009

below)

HILL DRIVE

Chief Operating Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

DANVERS, MA 01923

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(State)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following (Instr. 4) Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common Stock, \$.01

par value

D 94,600

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$ 13.88					04/23/2008(2)	04/23/2017	Common Stock	130,00
Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$ 13.8					05/23/2009(2)	05/23/2018	Common Stock	12,00
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 5.86	05/28/2009		A	87,000	05/28/2010(2)	05/28/2019	Common Stock	87,00
Stock Options (right to buy) (3)	\$ 5.86	05/28/2009		A	34,500	03/31/2010(4)	05/28/2019	Common Stock	34,50

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relation
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Weber David M C/O ABIOMED, INC. 22 CHERRY HILL DRIVE DANVERS, MA 01923

**Chief Operating Officer** 

### **Signatures**

/s/ Ian W. McLeod (by power of attorney) 06/01/2009

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* 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. 2000 Stock Incentive Plan.

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- (2) This option becomes exercisable in annual 25% increments, commencing on the date shown in Table II, Column 6.
- (3) 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. 2008 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (4) These options become exerciseable upon the achievement of a certain performance milestone, based on the results of Abiomed's fiscal year ended March 31, 2010.

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