INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Wilkinson Peter J			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2019		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA HOLDINGS [LH]					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	04/01/2019		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
231 MAPLE	AVENUE							1 neu(monui	Duy, Iour)	
	(Street)				(Check all applicable)			6. Individua	l or Joint/Grouj	р
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)		Table I - N	on-Derivat	tive Securiti	es Be	neficially (Owned	
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(Instr. 4)	Instr. 4) Expiration Date		Securities U	nderlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
(Month/Day/Year)			Derivative Security		or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
			(Instr. 4)	Instr. 4)		Derivative	(Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative	Security:	
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						(Instr. 5)	
Non-qualified Stock Options	02/12/2020	02/11/2029	Common Stock	2,300	\$ 146.59	D	Â
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	2,040	\$ <u>(2)</u>	D	Â
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	560	\$ <u>(2)</u>	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Wilkinson Peter J 231 MAPLE AVENUE BURLINGTON, NC 27215	Â	Â	SVP, Chief Accounting Officer	Â				
Signatures								
/s/ Sandra D. van der Vaart, Atto Wilkinson	ter J 04/05/2019							

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

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(1) The Restricted Stock Units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on 2/12/20.

(2) Each restricted stock unit represents the contingent right to receive one share of Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings Common Stock.

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