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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(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

ABIOMED INC [ABMD]

(Last)

(Middle)

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

Director 10% Owner

C/O ABIOMED, INC., 22 CHERRY

(First)

05/08/2015

X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify below)

Chief Operating Officer

(Check all applicable)

HILL DRIVE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

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

Person

DANVERS, MA 01923

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquir				uired, 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or		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, \$.01 par value	05/08/2015		M	Amount 34,322	(D)	Price \$ 13.88	171,052	D		
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	05/08/2015		S(5)	3,242 (<u>5)</u>	D	\$ 64.1598 (6)	167,810	D		
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	05/08/2015		S(5)	3,639 (5)	D	\$ 65.1294	164,171	D		

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Common Stock, \$.01 par value	05/08/2015	S(5)	1,911 (5)	D	\$ 66.3305 (8)	162,260	D
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	05/08/2015	S(5)	4,880 (5)	D	\$ 67.3336 (9)	157,380	D
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	05/08/2015	S(5)	2,764 (5)	D	\$ 67.8776 (10)	154,616	D
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	05/08/2015	S(5)	652 (5)	D	\$ 69.0306 (11)	153,964	D
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	05/08/2015	S(5)	73 (5)	D	\$ 69.81 (12)	153,891	D
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	05/08/2015	S(5)	3,242 (5)	D	\$ 64.1598 (6) (13)	150,649	D
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	05/08/2015	S(5)	3,639 (5)	D	\$ 65.1294 (7) (13)	147,010	D
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	05/08/2015	S(5)	1,911 (5)	D	\$ 66.3305 (8) (13)	145,099	D
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	05/08/2015	S(5)	4,880 (5)	D	\$ 67.3336 (9) (14)	140,219	D
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	05/08/2015	S(5)	2,764 (5)	D	\$ 67.8776 (10)	137,455	D
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	05/08/2015	S(5)	652 (5)	D	\$ 69.0306 (11)	136,803	D
	05/08/2015	S(5)	73 (5)	D		136,730	D

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Common	\$ 69.81
Stock,	(12)
\$.01 par	
value	

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)	Secu Acqu or D: (D)	rities uired (A) isposed of r. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Share
Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$ 13.88	05/08/2015		M		34,322	04/23/2008(2)	04/23/2017	Common Stock	34,32
Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$ 13.8						05/23/2009(2)	05/23/2018	Common Stock	0
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 5.86						05/28/2010(2)	05/28/2019	Common Stock	0
Stock Options (right to buy) (3)	\$ 5.86						03/31/2010(2)	05/28/2019	Common Stock	0
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 10.03						06/03/2011(2)	06/03/2020	Common Stock	0
Stock Option (right to	\$ 22.44						05/22/2013(2)	05/22/2022	Common Stock	0

buy) (3)					
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 23.15	05/14/2014(2)	05/14/2023	Common Stock	0
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 21.55	05/14/2015(4)	05/14/2024	Common Stock	0

Reporting Owners

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

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

Chief Operating Officer

Signatures

/s/ Stephen C. McEvoy (by power of attorney)

05/12/2015

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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.
- (2) This option becomes exercisable in annual 25% increments, commencing on the date shown in Table II, Column 6.
- 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 exercisable in annual 33-1/3% increments, commencing on the date shown in Table II, Column 6.
- (5) Sale of common stock pursuant to reporting owner's 10b5-1 plan.
- This price represents the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged between \$63.6200 and \$64.6100. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
- This price represents the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged between \$64.6200 and \$65.6100. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
- This price represents the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged between \$65.6750 and \$66.6500. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
- This price represents the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged between \$66,7000 and \$67,6900. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.

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- This price represents the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged between (10) \$67.7000 and \$68.6600. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
- This price represents the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged between \$68.7000 and \$69.6900. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
- This price represents the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged between (12) \$69.7000 and \$69.9600. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
- To remedy a broker error that occurred in connection with executing the transaction, in accordance with the broker's policy, the reporting person received from the broker an additional payment for the sale of the shares to make the average price per share \$67.0000.
- To remedy a broker error that occurred in connection with executing the transaction, in accordance with the broker's policy, the (14) reporting person received from the broker an additional payment for the sale of the shares sold below \$67.0000 per share to make the price per share of such shares \$67.0000 per share.

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