

FOREST LABORATORIES INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**HOCHBERG ELAINE**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O FOREST LABORATORIES, INC., 909 THIRD AVENUE**

(Street)

**NEW YORK, NY 10022**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**FOREST LABORATORIES INC [FRX]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**08/24/2006**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**SVP Marketing**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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**

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)
				Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	08/24/2006		G		1,100 D \$ 0	113,030	D	
Common Stock	12/11/2006		G		440 D \$ 0	112,590	D	
Common Stock	02/26/2007		G		280 D \$ 0	112,310	D	
Common Stock	12/12/2007		G	V	400 D \$ 0	111,910	D	
Common Stock	12/14/2007		G	V	200 D \$ 0	111,710	D	

