BAILEY ANTHONY W

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BAILEY ANTHONY W**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(C:tr.)

(First)

(Middle)

(7:m)

ABIOMED INC [ABMD] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

C/O ABIOMED, INC., 22 CHERRY

11/09/2004

(Month/Day/Year)

Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

VP, Manufacturing

(Check all applicable)

HILL DRIVE (Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

Person

DANVERS, MA 01923

(City)	(State) (Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficiall	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	n Date 2A. Deemed Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Transaction(A) or Dispo Code (Instr. 3, 4 a (Instr. 8)		d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	11/09/2004		M	5,000 (11)	A	\$ 6.688	5,353	D	
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	11/09/2004		S	5,000 (11)	D	\$ 15	353	D	

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Securities	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 Share
Stock Option (right to buy) (3)	\$ 6.813					07/01/2000(1)	07/01/2008	Common Stock	50,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (4)	\$ 6.688	11/09/2004		M	5,000 (11)	07/01/2001(2)	07/01/2009	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (4)	\$ 15.563					06/28/2002(6)	06/28/2010	Common Stock	40,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (5)	\$ 18.4					08/08/2003(7)	08/08/2011	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (4)	\$ 5.11					06/25/2005(9)	06/25/2013	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (4)	\$ 6.66					09/10/2005(10)	09/10/2013	Common Stock	40,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (5)	\$ 6.75					06/25/2004(8)	06/25/2012	Common Stock	17,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BAILEY ANTHONY W C/O ABIOMED, INC. 22 CHERRY HILL DRIVE DANVERS, MA 01923

VP, Manufacturing

Signatures

/s/ Charles B. Haaser (Attorney-in-fact)

11/10/2004

**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) Original option grant becomes exercisable in annual 25% installments commencing on the date shown.
- Thirty percent of this option will become exercisable on each of 7/1/01 and 7/1/02 and an additional 40 percent will become exercisable on 7/1/03.
- (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. 1992 Combination Stock Option Plan.
- (4) 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. 1998 Equity Incentive Plan.
- 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.
- Thirty percent of this option will become exercisable on each of 6/28/02 and 6/28/03 and an additional 40 percent will become exercisable on 6/28/04.
- (7) Thirty percent of this option will become exercisable on each of 8/8/03 and 8/8/04 and an additional 40 percent will become exercisable on 8/8/05.
- (8) Thirty percent of this option will become exercisable on each of 6/25/04 and 6/25/05 and an additional 40 percent will become exercisable on 6/25/06.
- (9) Thirty percent of this option will become exercisable on each of 6/25/05 and 6/25/06 and an additional 40 percent will become exercisable on 6/25/07.
- (10) Thirty percent of this option will become exercisable on each of 9/10/05 and 9/10/06 and an additional 40 percent will become exercisable on 9/10/07.
- (11) Stock was acquired and sold pursuant to a Sales Plan compliant with the requirements of SEC Rule 10b5-1.

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