

BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC

Form 4

March 08, 2011

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HUTTON RONALD W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O BIO-RAD LABORATORIES,
INC., 1000 ALFRED NOBEL
DRIVE**

(Street)

HERCULES, CA 94547

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol

**BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC
[BIO, BIO.B]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/08/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price	
Bio-Rad A Common Stock	03/08/2011		M		400	A \$ 35.5	1,197.9714 D
Bio-Rad A Common Stock	03/08/2011		M		920	A \$ 53.75	2,117.9714 D
Bio-Rad A	03/08/2011		M		1,000	A \$ 57.49	3,117.9714 D

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Common
Stock

Bio-Rad
A
Common
Stock

03/08/2011

S

2,320

D

\$

117.9057

797.9714

D

(4)

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)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 35.5	03/08/2011		M	400	<u>(1)</u> 02/05/2013	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	400
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 53.75	03/08/2011		M	920	<u>(2)</u> 02/04/2014	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	920
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 57.49	03/08/2011		M	1,000	<u>(3)</u> 02/09/2015	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	1,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Reporting Owners

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HUTTON RONALD W
C/O BIO-RAD LABORATORIES, INC.
1000 ALFRED NOBEL DRIVE
HERCULES, CA 94547

Treasurer

Signatures

Ronald W.
Hutton 03/08/2011

__Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) The option vested in five equal annual installments beginning on February 5, 2004.

(2) The option vested in five equal annual installments beginning on February 4, 2005.

(3) The option vested in five equal annual installments beginning on February 9, 2006.

(4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$117.86 to \$118.17, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Bio-Rad Laboratories, Inc., any security holder of Bio-Rad Laboratories, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

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