

SCHWARTZ DAVID

Form 4

November 08, 2011

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

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may continue.  
See Instruction  
1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SCHWARTZ DAVID

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC  
[BIO, BIOB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/04/2011

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  
Chairman of the Board

(Street)

HERCULES, CA 94547

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 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)
Bio-Rad A Common Stock					1,998,089 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Bio-Rad A Common Stock					774,823 <sup>(2)</sup>	I	By Spouse
Bio-Rad A Common Stock	10/05/2011		G V	141,046 D \$ 0 0 <sup>(3)</sup>		I	By GRAT

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Bio-Rad A Common Stock	10/05/2011	G	V	141,046	D	\$ 0	0 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	By GRAT (spouse)
Bio-Rad A Common Stock							34,311	I	By Trust
Bio-Rad B Common Stock							461,926	D	
Bio-Rad B Common Stock							4,060,054	I	By Blue Raven Partners, L.P. <sup>(4)</sup>
Bio-Rad B Common Stock							41,176	I	By DANSA Partners Limited <sup>(5)</sup>

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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(6)</sup>	11/04/2011		A		1,500		<sup>(7)</sup>	<sup>(7)</sup>	Bio-Rad B Common Stock	1,500
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 100.06	11/04/2011		A		5,000		<sup>(8)</sup>	11/04/2021	Bio-Rad B Common Stock	5,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SCHWARTZ DAVID C/O BIO-RAD LABORATORIES, INC. 1000 ALFRED NOBEL DRIVE HERCULES, CA 94547	X	X	Chairman of the Board	

## Signatures

David Schwartz                      11/07/2011

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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) On October 5, 2011, 339,377 Class A shares were transferred from the David Schwartz 2009 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust (GRAT) to David Schwartz, and such shares are directly beneficially owned by him.
- (2) On October 5, 2011, 339,377 Class A shares were transferred from the Alice N. Schwartz 2009 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust (GRAT) to Alice N. Schwartz, and such shares are directly beneficially owned by her.
- (3) In addition to the reported transaction, the reporting person and the reporting person's spouse each received 339,377 Class A shares as a distribution from their separate 2009 GRATs and such shares are directly beneficially owned by each of them.
- (4) The shares are held by a limited partnership of which the reporting person is a limited and general partner.
- (5) The shares are held by a limited partnership of which the reporting person is a general partner.
- (6) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Bio-Rad Class B Common Stock.
- (7) The restricted stock units vest over five years at 20% per year on the yearly anniversary date of the grant.
- (8) The stock option vests over five years at 20% per year on the yearly anniversary date of the grant.

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