FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington,	D.C. 20549
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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Knell Michael Gunnar						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHARLES RIVER LABORATORIES INTERNATIONAL, INC. [ CRL ]									all app Direc	licable)	ng Pei		to Issuer  Owner  Sherr (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 251 BALLARDVALE STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/29/2024								X	below	SVP&Chief A		below)		
(Street) WILMINGTON MA 01887  (City) (State) (Zip)					01/3	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2024  Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
						Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.														
		Table	I - No	n-Deriva	tive S	Secu	rities	Acc	uired	, Dis	posed of	, or Be	enefici	ially (	Own	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)				Execu //Year) if any		Deemed cution Date, y nth/Day/Year)				Disposed O	rities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		4 and Se Be Ow		i. Amount of Securities Seneficially Dwned Following Reported		n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	- 1	Transa	ction(s) 3 and 4)			(IIISU: 4)		
Common Stock 01/29					.024 01/.		/31/2024		A		948(1)	A	\$(	<b>\$</b> 0 1		0,888		D		
Common Stock 01/29/2				2024 01/		1/31/2024		F		313	D	\$220	.28	28 10,575		D				
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)	if any	emed tion Date, n/Day/Year)	Code ( 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		ative rities ired osed . 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Expiration  Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		_		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Reflects shares of common stock issued following the achievement of performance goals set forth in performance share unit awards originally granted on May 28, 2021.

/s/ Michael G. Knell 03/21/2024

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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