FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Thompson Craig B.					<u>CE</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHARLES RIVER LABORATORIES INTERNATIONAL, INC. [CRL]								(Che	eck all applic	cable) or	ng Pers	son(s) to Iss	ner	
(Last) 251 BAL	•	First)	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2023								below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify		
(Street) WILMIN	GTON DE 01887				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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Common	Stock			05/1	5/2023	/2023					664(1	1) A \$0		908			D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion Date (Month/Day/Year) Price of Derivative Security		if any	ution Date,		ction nstr.			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s	e s lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
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Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$192.36	05/15/2023			A		1,669 ⁽²⁾		05/15/2024	4 0	5/15/2033	Commo Stock	ⁿ 1	1,669	\$192.36	1,669)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The unvested restricted stock units vest upon the earlier of 5/15/2024 or the business day prior to the Company's next annual meeting of shareholders.
- 2. The Stock Options become exercisable upon the earlier of 5/15/2024 or the business day prior to the Company's next annual meeting of shareholders.

/s/ Craig B. Thompson, M.D. 05/17/2023

** 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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