

Charles River Laboratories International, Inc.
 Common Stock
 Warrants to Purchase Common Stock

We initially issued the warrants in a transaction exempt from the registration requirements of the Securities Act of 1933. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase 7.60 shares of our common stock at an exercise price of \$5.19 per share, subject to adjustment in some circumstances. We filed a registration statement (Registration No. 333-92383) in order to permit the holders of these warrants and shares of our common stock acquired on exercise of these warrants to resell those securities in transactions that are registered under the Securities Act of 1933.

On pages 52 through 55 of the prospectus contained in that registration statement, there is a table that provides certain information with respect to those holders. We have prepared this prospectus supplement to

add the following persons to the table as holders of warrants and underlying shares of common stock:

Name and Address of Holders	Number of Warrants and Underlying Common Stock Owned Prior to Resale of Warrants			Number of Warrants Offered by Holder	Ownership After Resale of Warrants
	Number of Warrants	Number of Shares Underlying the Warrants	Percentage of Common Stock Owned Prior to Resale		Percentage of Shares of Common Stock
Carlyle High Yield Partners, L.P. 520 Madison Avenue, 41st Floor New York, NY 10022.....	10,000	76,000	--	10,000	--
Carlyle High Yield Partners II, Ltd. 520 Madison Avenue, 41st Floor New York, NY 10022.....	3,000	22,800	--	3,000	--
TCW Crescent/Mach I, L.P. 865 South Figueroa Street, 21st Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017.....	2,100	15,960	--	2,100	--

None of the above holders has a material relationship with us, except as described in the accompanying prospectus.

to replace the information contained in the table with respect to the following holders:

Name and Address of Holders	Number of Warrants and Underlying Common Stock Owned Prior to Resale of Warrants			Number of Warrants Offered by Holder	Ownership After Resale of Warrants
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TCW Leveraged Income Investment Trust L.P. 865 South Figueroa Street, 21st Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017.....	3,150	23,940	--	3,150	--

TCW Leveraged Income Trust II L.P. 865 South Figueroa Street, 21st Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017.....	3,150	23,940	--	3,150	--
TCW Crescent Mezzanine Partners II, L.P. 865 South Figueroa Street, 21st Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017.....	27,044	205,534	--	27,044	--
TCW Crescent Mezzanine Trust II 865 South Figueroa Street, 21st Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017.....	6,556	49,826	--	6,556	--

The date of this Prospectus Supplement is January 3, 2001.