FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

Name and Address of Reporting Person*     BERTOLINI ROBERT J						<u>CH</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHARLES RIVER LABORATORIES INTERNATIONAL INC [ CRL ]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner     Officer (give title Other (specify)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) CHARLES RIVER LABORATORIES 251 BALLARDVALE STREET							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2018									below) below)				
(Street) WILMINGTON MA 01887						4. If <i>i</i>	If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)													
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									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transacti (Instr. 3 a	on(s)		(111511.4)		
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$110	0.07	25,9	995	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$110	80.0	25,7	795	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		93	D	\$110	.09	25,7	702	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		7	D	\$110	.105	25,6	595	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		400	D	\$110	).11	25,2	295	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		300	D	\$110	.12	24,9	995	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$110	).14	24,8	395	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		300	D	\$110	.15	24,5	595	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		279	D	\$110	.16	24,3	316	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		500	D	\$110	.19	23,8	316	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		30	D	\$110	).22	23,7	786	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$110	.28	23,6	686	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$11	0.3	23,5	586	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$110	.35	23,4	486	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$110	.36	23,3	386	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$110	.37	23,1	186	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$110	.385	23,0	086	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		91	D	\$110	.39	22,9	995	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		9	D	\$110	.41	22,9	986	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$110	.415	22,8	386	D			
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$110	.43	22,7	786	D			
Common Stock 01/02/20					2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$11	0.5	22,6	686	D				
Common	Stock				01/02/	2018			S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$110	.55	22,5	586	D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date	ansaction ith/Day/Year)	3A. Deer Execution	ned	Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Exercion Da	cisable and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Pr	vative de urity Se r. 5) Be Ov Fo Re	Number of crivative ccurities eneficially wned ellowing eported ansaction( estr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

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