FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Mc Goldrick Linda				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHARLES RIVER LABORATORIES INTERNATIONAL INC [ CRL ]								(Ch	eck all applic	onship of Reporting Ill applicable) Director		10% Ow	vner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 251 BALLARDVALE STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/17/2005									Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify
(Street) WILMINGTON MA 01887				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(City)	(\$	State)	(Zip)											Person	iled by More than One Reporting า			ing
		Ta	ole I - Non	-Deriva	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired, Di	isp	osed of	f, or Ber	neficial	y Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transar Date (Month/Date			Execution Date,			Code (Instr. 5)				5. Amou Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported	es Fo ially (D Following (I)		: Direct I Indirect E str. 4) (	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
							Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3 a	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
									uired, Dis s, options,					Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion Date Execution Date (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion Date Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Year)			Co	ansact ode (In		of I		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 (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Co	ode \	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Options (Right to	\$47.75	02/17/2005		I	A		12,000		02/17/2006 <sup>(1)</sup>	02	2/17/2010	Common Stock	12,000	\$47.75	12,000	0	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Options vest 100% one year from date of grant.

## Remarks:

s/Linda McGoldrick

02/17/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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