FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940			
BERTOLINI			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHARLES RIVER LABORATORIES INTERNATIONAL INC [CRL]		tionship of Reporting Perso all applicable) Director Officer (give title below)	10% Owner Other (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) CHARLES RIVER LABORATORIES 251 BALLARDVALE STREET			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/04/2018		below)	below)
(Street) WILMINGTON (City)		01887 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	ridual or Joint/Group Filing Form filed by One Repor Form filed by More than Person	ting Person

WILMINGTON MA	01887						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State)	(Zip)										
	ble I - Non-Derivative	1		, Dis	_						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Disposed Of			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		, ,	
Common Stock	12/04/2018		M		4,540	A	\$33.93	29,876	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		100	D	\$133.16	29,776	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		200	D	\$133.21	29,576	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		200	D	\$133.28	29,376	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		100	D	\$133.45	29,276	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		400	D	\$133.46	28,876	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		100	D	\$133.61	28,776	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		100	D	\$133.63	28,676	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		100	D	\$133.68	28,576	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		100	D	\$133.81	28,476	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		224	D	\$133.87	28,252	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		103	D	\$133.88	28,149	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		3	D	\$133.89	28,146	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		202	D	\$133.9	27,944	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		100	D	\$133.91	27,844	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		2	D	\$133.92	27,842	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		102	D	\$133.93	27,740	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		2	D	\$133.94	27,738	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		2	D	\$133.95	27,736	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		100	D	\$133.98	27,636	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		100	D	\$133.99	27,536	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		300	D	\$134	27,236	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		100	D	\$134.03	27,136	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		100	D	\$134.04	27,036	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		200	D	\$134.05	26,836	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		100	D	\$134.06	26,736	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		100	D	\$134.1	26,636	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		100	D	\$134.11	26,536	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2018		S		100	D	\$134.16	26,436	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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		n of		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)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$33.93	12/04/2018		M			4,540	05/09/2013	05/09/2019	Common Stock	4,540	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Robert J. Bertolini 12/

12/04/2018

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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