FORM 4

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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Smith David Ross						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHARLES RIVER LABORATORIES INTERNATIONAL, INC. [ CRL ]									all app Direc	,	ng Per	rson(s) to Is 10% O Other (	wner
(Last) 251 BAI	(Fii LARDVAI	est) (N LE STREET	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/28/2022									belov			below)	·
(Street) WILMINGTON MA 01887  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If <i>i</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
D				Date	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			1 and 5) Secu Bene		cially   Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
							Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Pric	е	Transa	nsaction(s) str. 3 and 4)			(11301. 4)		
Common	01/28/2	:022				A		12,321(1)	A	:	\$ <mark>0</mark>	20	6,746		D				
Common Stock				01/28/2	<u>ງ</u> 22				F		5,364	D	\$33	12.24		21,382		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)	ivative Conversion Date Execution Date, urity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			ition Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		Der Sed (Ins	Price of ivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y   i	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code		(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Reflects shares of common stock issued following the achievement of performance goals set forth in performance share unit awards originally granted on February 22, 2019.

/s/ David R. Smith

02/01/2022

\*\* 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).
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