FOSTER JAMES C

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Last)

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

FOSTER JAMES C

Symbol

CHARLES RIVER LABORATORIES

(Check all applicable)

Chairman & CEO

INTERNATIONAL INC [CRL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director

10% Owner Other (specify

X_ Officer (give title below)

(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

02/23/2018

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

251 BALLARDVALE STREET

(First)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

WILMINGTON, MA 01887

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit corr Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock (1)	02/23/2018		A	17,984	A	\$ 0	310,605	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2018		F	2,215	D	\$ 109.34	308,390	D	
Common Stock	02/26/2018		F	2,276	D	\$ 109.34	306,114	D	
Common Stock							10,208	I	2016 GRAT
Common							29,954	I	2017 GRAT

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Common Stock	340	I	By Trust
Common Stock	2,000	I	Held By Self As Trustee For Zachary W. Foster
Common Stock	10,000	I	Held By Spouse
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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. 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)			7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 109.34	02/23/2018		A	81,181	02/23/2019(2)	02/23/2023	Common Stock	81,181

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
topotong of not thank fixed to	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
FOSTER JAMES C							
251 BALLARDVALE STREET	X		Chairman & CEO				
WILMINGTON MA 01887							

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/s/ James C. 02/26/2018 Foster

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Consists of 17,984 unvested restricted stock units that vest equally over four (4) years beginning one (1) year from the date of issuance.
- (2) Stock options vest as follows: 20,295 options vest one (1) year from the date of grant, 20,295 options vest two (2) years from the date of grant, 20,295 options vest (3) years from the date of grant, and 20,296 options vest four (4) years from the date of grant.

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