FOSTER JAMES C

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(City)

(State)

(Zip)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** FOSTER JAMES C			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			CHARLES RIVER LABORATORIES	(Check all applicable)		
			INTERNATIONAL INC [CRL]	X Director 10% Owner		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
251 BALLARDVALE STREET		TREET	02/17/2005	President and CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
WILMINGT	ON, MA 01	887	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

Table I - Non-Derivative	Contract A softimed	Disposed of on I	Danafiaially Owned

	Table 1-1001-Delivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Deficiently Owned								
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)	ransaction(A) or Disposed of (D) ode (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/17/2005		M	2,000	A	\$ 5.33	192,928	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2005		S	2,000	D	\$ 47.75	190,928	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2005		M	1,000	A	\$ 5.33	191,928	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2005		S	1,000	D	\$ 47.771	190,928	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2005		M	1,000	A	\$ 5.33	191,928	D	

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Common Stock	02/17/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 47.97	190,928	D
Common Stock	02/17/2005	M	1,000	A	\$ 5.33	191,928	D
Common Stock	02/17/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 48.04	190,928	D
Common Stock	02/17/2005	M	1,000	A	\$ 5.33	191,928	D
Common Stock	02/17/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 48	190,928	D
Common Stock	02/17/2005	M	1,000	A	\$ 5.33	191,928	D
Common Stock	02/17/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 48.08	190,928	D

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

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	onof Derivative		Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.33	02/17/2005		M		2,000	09/29/2000	09/29/2009	Common Stock	2,000						
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.33	02/17/2005		M		1,000	09/29/2000	09/29/2009	Common Stock	1,000						
Stock Options	\$ 5.33	02/17/2005		M		1,000	09/29/2000	09/29/2009	Common Stock	1,000						

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(Right to Buy)					
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.33	02/17/2005	M	1,000 09/29/2000 09/29/2009 Common Stock 1,0	000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.33	02/17/2005	M	1,000 09/29/2000 09/29/2009 Common Stock 1,0	000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.33	02/17/2005	M	1,000 09/29/2000 09/29/2009 Common Stock 1,0	000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting 6 wher runne, runness	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
FOSTER JAMES C 251 BALLARDVALE STREET WILMINGTON, MA 01887	X		President and CEO			

Signatures

s/James C.
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**Signature of Reporting Person

02/22/2005

Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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