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Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).	Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940								
(Print or Type Respon	nses)								
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** FRATONI S SAM			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol IDEXX LABORATORIES INC /DE [IDXX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
	First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	DirectorX Officer (give below)		Owner (specify			
ONE IDEXX DRIVE			08/28/2008		te Vice Presider	nt			
(Street) WESTBROOK, ME 04092			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by O Form filed by Mo	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
·	State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	Person uired, Disposed of,	or Beneficially	y Owned			

	Table 1 - Non-Delivative Securities Acquireu, D					reu, Disposeu oi,	i, Disposed of, of Beneficially Owned			
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Secur	ities A	cquired (A)	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction Disposed of (D)			Securities	Ownership	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)	•	any	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership	
							Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)	
					(4)		Reported	(I)		
					(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	08/28/2008		M	200	A	\$ 10.1875	41,667	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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. F Der Sec (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 10.1875	08/28/2008		M	200	<u>(1)</u>	10/14/2008	Common Stock	200	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FRATONI S SAM ONE IDEXX DRIVE WESTBROOK, ME 04092

Corporate Vice President

Signatures

Conan R. Deady, Attorney-in-Fact for S. Sam Fratoni, PhD

09/02/2008

Date

**Signature of 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) Grant of option to buy shares of common stock exercisable in five equal annual increments, beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant (10/14/1998).

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