ABIOMED INC Form 4 May 28, 2015

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Weber David M | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | |
|--|---------|----------|--|--|------------|--|
| | | | ABIOMED INC [ABMD] | (Check all a | pplicable) | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (c | | |
| | | | (Month/Day/Year) | Director | 10% Owner | |

C/O ABIOMED, INC., 22 CHERRY 05/26/2015 HILL DRIVE

10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify below) Chief Operating Officer

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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

DANVERS, MA 01923

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tab | le I - Non- | Derivative | Secui | rities Acquii | ed, Disposed of, | or Beneficiall | y 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) | 4. Securit for Dispos (Instr. 3, 4 | ed of (| ` ′ | 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) |
| Common | | | Code V | Amount | (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Stock, \$.01 par value | 05/26/2015 | | S(5) | 3,596 (5) | D | \$ 60.0309 (7) | 132,022 | D | |
| Common Stock, \$.01 par value | 05/26/2015 | | S(5) | 522 (5) | D | \$ 60.8798 (8) | 131,500 | D | |
| Common Stock, \$.01 par value | 05/26/2015 | | S(5) | 457 <u>(5)</u> | D | \$ 61.8675 | 131,043 | D | |

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| Common Stock, \$.01 par value | 05/27/2015 | S <u>(6)</u> | 11,693 (6) | D | \$ 60.8696 (10) | 119,350 | D |
|--|------------|--------------|---------------|---|-----------------------|---------|---|
| Common Stock, \$.01 par value | 05/27/2015 | S <u>(6)</u> | 1,700 (6) | D | \$ 61.3468 (11) | 117,650 | D |

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

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

1. Title of 2.

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6. Date Exercisable and

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | Transact Code (Instr. 8) | of Der Sec (A) Dis of (Ins | rivative curities quired or sposed | | | Underlying (Instr. 3 and | Securities |
|---|---|------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|--|------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|--|
| | | | Code V | V (A) |) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (right to buy) (1) | \$ 13.88 | | | | | 04/23/2008(2) | 04/23/2017 | Common Stock | 0 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) (1) | \$ 13.8 | | | | | 05/23/2009(2) | 05/23/2018 | Common Stock | 0 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) (3) | \$ 5.86 | | | | | 05/28/2010(2) | 05/28/2019 | Common Stock | 0 |
| Stock Options (right to buy) (3) | \$ 5.86 | | | | | 03/31/2010(2) | 05/28/2019 | Common Stock | 0 |
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| Stock Option (right to buy) (3) | \$ 10.03 | 06/03/2011(2) | 06/03/2020 | Common Stock | 0 |
|--|----------|---------------|------------|-----------------|---|
| Stock Option (right to buy) (3) | \$ 22.44 | 05/22/2013(2) | 05/22/2022 | Common Stock | 0 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) (3) | \$ 23.15 | 05/14/2014(2) | 05/14/2023 | Common Stock | 0 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) (3) | \$ 21.55 | 05/14/2015(4) | 05/14/2024 | Common Stock | 0 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) (3) | \$ 66.25 | 05/13/2016(4) | 05/13/2025 | Common Stock | 0 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|--------------------------------|---------------|
| Reporting Owner Hume / Humess | |

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Weber David M C/O ABIOMED, INC. 22 CHERRY HILL DRIVE DANVERS, MA 01923

Chief Operating Officer

Signatures

/s/ Stephen C. McEvoy (by power of attorney)

05/28/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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 to reporting person of option to buy the number of shares of Common Stock set forth in Table II, Column 7, under the ABIOMED, Inc. 2000 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (2) This option becomes exercisable in annual 25% increments, commencing on the date shown in Table II, Column 6.
- (3) Grant to reporting person of option to buy the number of shares of Common Stock set forth in Table II, Column 7, under the ABIOMED, Inc. 2008 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (4) These options become exercisable in annual 33-1/3% increments, commencing on the date shown in Table II, Column 6.

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Sale of common stock pursuant to reporting owner's 10b5-1 plan, solely for payment of withholding tax liability associated with the vesting of awards of restricted stock units in accordance with the time periods set forth in such awards.

- (6) Sale of common stock pursuant to reporting owner's 10b5-1 plan.
- This price represents the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged between \$59.5200 and \$60.5100. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
- This price represents the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged between \$60.5400 and \$61.5000. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
- This price represents the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged between \$61.6000 and \$62.1400. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
- This price represents the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged between (10) \$60.2900 and \$61.2600. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.
- This price represents the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged between (11) \$61.2900 and \$61.4300. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.

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