SEQUENOM INC Form 4 September 07, 2016

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LABORATORY CORP OF **AMERICA HOLDINGS**

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

358 SOUTH MAIN STREET

(Middle)

SEQUENOM INC [SONM]

Symbol

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 09/07/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title below)

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

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

BURLINGTON, NC 27215

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

Code (Instr. 8)

Code V

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

4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Amount

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price

5. Amount of

Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect

7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

D

Common

Security

(Instr. 3)

Stock, par 09/07/2016 value \$0.001

36,649,440 P(1)(1)

A

(A)

or

(D)

\$ 119,551,297 2.4 (1)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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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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Reporting Owners

Relationships
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Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Officer Other Director Owner

LABORATORY CORP OF AMERICA HOLDINGS 358 SOUTH MAIN STREET **BURLINGTON, NC 27215**

X

Signatures

/s/ F. Samuel Eberts III, Chief Legal Officer and Secretary of Laboratory Corporation of America Holdings

09/07/2016

**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).

These shares were acquired pursuant to an Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated July 26, 2016 (the "Merger Agreement"), by and among the Reporting Person, Savoy Acquisition Corp., a wholly owned subsidiary of the Reporting Person ("Purchaser"), and the Issuer. Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, the Reporting Person acquired all of the outstanding shares of the Issuer in a two-step transaction

(1) involving, first, the completion of a tender offer by the Reporting Person and Purchaser (the "Tender Offer"), and, second, a back-end merger for 100% ownership pursuant to which Purchaser merged with and into the Issuer and the Reporting Person acquired all of the outstanding shares of the Issuer that were not acquired by Purchaser in the Tender Offer. The acquired shares reported herein were acquired by the Reporting Person as part of the second step of the transaction.

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