### WALLEN WILLIAM C

Form 4

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading WALLEN WILLIAM C Issuer Symbol IDEXX LABORATORIES INC /DE [IDXX]

(Middle)

(Zip)

(Check all applicable)

C/O IDEXX LABORATORIES

(First)

12/10/2007

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) SVP & Chief Scientific Officer

INC, ONE IDEXX DRIVE (Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

WESTBROOK, ME 04092

		Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Deficiencially Owned								
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactionr Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial		
<b></b>		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(A) or Amount (D)	)	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	12/10/2007		M	50,000 A	\$ 21.3	68,934	D			
Common Stock	12/10/2007		S	50,000 D	\$ 59.6232	18,934 (1)	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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.3	12/10/2007	12/10/2007	M	50,000	(2)	09/08/2013	Common Stock	50,0

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WALLEN WILLIAM C C/O IDEXX LABORATORIES INC ONE IDEXX DRIVE WESTBROOK, ME 04092

SVP & Chief Scientific Officer

## **Signatures**

John B. Rogers, Attorney-in-Fact for William C. Wallen, PhD

12/12/2007

\*\*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) On November 5, 2007, the Common Stock of IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. split 2-for-1, resulting in the reporting person's ownership of 9,467 additional shares of common stock.
- (2) Grant of option to purchase shares of Common Stock becomes exercisable in five equal annual increments, beginning on the first anniversary date (9/08/2004) of the date of grant.

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