

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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<b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*</b> <u>GELLER JORG</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>251 BALLARDAVALE STREET</u>  (Street) <u>WILMINGTON MA 01887</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	<b>2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</b> <u>CHARLES RIVER LABORATORIES INTERNATIONAL INC [ CRL ]</u>	<b>5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</b> (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  <b>OFFICERS</b>
	<b>3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)</b> <u>11/05/2004</u>	
		<b>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person  <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	11/05/2004		M		804	A	\$5.33	9,262	D	
Common Stock	11/05/2004		M		6,500	A	\$16	15,762	D	
Common Stock	11/05/2004		S		804	D	\$46.97	14,958	D	
Common Stock	11/05/2004		S		6,500	D	\$46.97	8,458	D	
Common Stock								300	I	Held by Daughter
Common Stock								150	I	Held by Son

**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$31.97						08/01/2002	08/01/2011	Common Stock	13,100		13,100	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$32.15						07/15/2003	07/15/2012	Common Stock	18,700		18,700	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$32.87						07/23/2004	07/23/2013	Common Stock	15,000		15,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$43.07						02/13/2005	02/13/2014	Common Stock	6,300		6,300	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$5.33	11/05/2004		M		804	09/29/2000	09/29/2009	Common Stock	804	\$5.33	0	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$16	11/05/2004		M		6,500	06/23/2001	06/23/2010	Common Stock	6,500	\$16	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

Deborah Gray

11/05/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

\* 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).

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