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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Greenfield Andrew J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ABIOMED INC [ABMD]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

C/O ABIOMED, INC., 22 CHERRY

(Street)

HILL DRIVE

09/30/2018

below) below) VP Healthcare Solutions

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

Person

DANVERS, MA 01923

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported

6,970

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

or

Common

Stock, \$.01 09/30/2018

24 (4) $A^{(4)}$ A

D

Ι

par value

Common

\$0 43,978

By Trust

Stock, \$.01 par value

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | 7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and | Securities |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|------------------|--------------------|---|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (right to buy) (1) | \$ 21.55 | | | | | 05/14/2015(2) | 05/14/2024 | Common Stock | 0 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) (1) | \$ 66.25 | | | | | 05/13/2016(2) | 05/13/2025 | Common Stock | 0 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) (3) | \$ 99.62 | | | | | 05/24/2017(2) | 05/24/2026 | Common Stock | 0 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) (3) | \$ 134.51 | | | | | 05/15/2018(2) | 05/15/2027 | Common Stock | 0 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) (3) | \$ 381.97 | | | | | 05/16/2019(2) | 05/16/2028 | Common Stock | 0 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Plante, Plantess | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| Greenfield Andrew J C/O ABIOMED, INC. 22 CHERRY HILL DRIVE DANVERS, MA 01923 | | | VP Healthcare Solutions | | | | |

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Signatures

/s/ Ian W. McLeod (by power of attorney) 10/03/2018

**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).

Date

- (1) Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares of Common Stock under ABIOMED, Inc. 2008 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (2) These options become exercisable in annual 33-1/3% 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. 2015 Omnibus Incentive Plan.
- (4) These shares of common stock were acquired by the reporting person through participation in the ABIOMED, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan, qualified under Section 423 of the Internal Revenue Code, and the transaction was exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).

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