

Bowen Robert
Form 4
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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Bowen Robert

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ABIOMED, INC, 22 CHERRY
HILL DR

(Street)

DANVERS, MA 01923

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

ABIOMED INC [ABMD]

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

05/23/2013

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ 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, \$.01 par value	05/23/2013		S ⁽³⁾		812	D	\$ 21.6005 ⁽⁴⁾
							68,329
						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. 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$ 15.92							12/22/2009 ⁽²⁾	12/22/2018	Common Stock	100,000
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$ 5.86							05/28/2010 ⁽²⁾	05/28/2019	Common Stock	2,715
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$ 5.86							03/31/2010 ⁽²⁾	05/28/2019	Common Stock	30,000
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$ 10.03							06/03/2011 ⁽²⁾	06/03/2020	Common Stock	15,000
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$ 22.44							05/22/2013 ⁽²⁾	05/22/2022	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$ 23.15							05/14/2014 ⁽²⁾	05/14/2024	Common Stock	20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Bowen Robert C/O ABIOMED, INC			Chief Financial Officer	

22 CHERRY HILL DR
DANVERS, MA 01923

Signatures

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

05/28/2013

__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 on Table II, Column 7, under the Abiomed, Inc. 2008 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (2) These options become exerciseable in annual 25% increments, commencing on the date set forth in Table II, Column 6.
- (3) Sale of common stock pursuant to reporting owner's 10b5-1 plan sold to pay tax obligations upon vesting.
- This price represents the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices that ranged between \$21.6000 and \$21.6100. 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.
- (4)

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