BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Magni Giovanni

(Last)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC

[BIO]

(First) 1000 ALFRED NOBEL DRIVE

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/03/2006

(Middle)

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Person

HERCULES, CA 94547

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(City)

(Month/Day/Year)

(State)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported

Issuer

below)

Director

Applicable Line)

X_ Officer (give title

6. Ownership Form: Direct (T) (Instr. 4)

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

(9-02)

10% Owner

Other (specify

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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below)

Estimated average

burden hours per

(A) Code V Amount (D) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any

5. Number 4. Transaction Derivative Securities Code

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Share
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 62.47	04/03/2006		A	1,880	04/03/2007	04/03/2016	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	1,8
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 62.47	04/03/2006		A	4,120	04/03/2007	04/03/2016	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	4,1
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.75					09/19/2001	09/19/2010	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	6,5
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.94					02/02/2001	02/02/2010	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	1,0
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 28.61					02/06/2003	02/06/2012	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	7,0
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 35.5					02/05/2004	02/05/2013	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	4,8
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 53.75					02/04/2005	02/04/2014	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	4,1
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 57.49					02/09/2006	02/09/2015	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	1,0
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 35.5					02/05/2004	02/05/2013	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	72

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Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 53.75	02/04/2005	02/04/2014	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	1,8
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 57.49	02/09/2006	02/09/2015	Bio-Rad A Common Stock	4,0

Reporting Owners

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

Magni Giovanni

1000 ALFRED NOBEL DRIVE Vice President HERCULES, CA 94547

Signatures

Giovanni Magni 04/05/2006

**Signature of Date
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).

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