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AUSTEN W GERALD Symbol Issuer ABIOMED INC [ABMD]												
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(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		Earliest Tra	ansaction							
				(Month/Day/Year)				X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify				
C/O ABIOMED, INC., 22 CHERRY 08/13/2014 HILL DRIVE				)14	below)				below)	ler (speeny		
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			endment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check					
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Diff( ) Litts,	10111 01725							Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of	2. Transaction	Date 2A. Dee	emed	3.	4. Securi	ties		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of		
Security					Securities	Form: Direct (D) or						
(Instr. 3)	Instr. 3) any Code Disposed of (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				Beneficially Owned	Beneficial Ownership						
							Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)			
						(A)		Reported				
						or		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 5 and 4)				
Common	00/10/001				7,740		<b></b>	05.241	D			
Stock, \$.01	08/13/2014			А	<u>(3)</u>	А	\$0	85,341	D			
par value												

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)

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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. of Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			(Instr. 3 and 4) S		8. ] De Sea (In
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (right to buy) (2)	\$ 18.63					08/12/2009 <u>(1)</u>	08/13/2018	Common Stock	0	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director 10% Owner		Officer	Other				
AUSTEN W GERALD C/O ABIOMED, INC. 22 CHERRY HILL DRIVE DANVERS, MA 01923	Х							
Signatures								
/s/ Stephen C. McEvoy (by pov attorney)	wer of		08/15/20	14				
**Signature of Reporting Perso	n		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) This option becomes exercisable in full on the date set forth in Table II, Column 6.
- (2) Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares of Common Stock set forth in Table II, Column 7, under the ABIOMED, Inc. 2008 Stock Incentive Plan.

Represents the grant of a performance share award for restricted stock units pursuant to which one third of the shares will be issued to the reporting person on August 13, 2015, August 13, 2016, and August 13, 2017, so long as she continues to be an active director of the issuer on each of the vesting dates.

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