

MINOGUE MICHAEL R  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
MINOGUE MICHAEL R

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ABIOMED, INC., 22  
CHERRY HILL DRIVE

(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)  
03/31/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
President, CEO, Chairman

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 \$0.01 par value	03/31/2018		A <sup>(5)</sup>		85 <sup>(5)</sup>	A	\$ 290.99	169,018	D	
Common Stock \$0.01 par value	11/29/2017		G <sup>(6)(7)</sup>	V	10,399 <sup>(6)(7)</sup>	D	\$ 0	158,619	D	
Common Stock \$0.01 par value	11/29/2017		G <sup>(6)(7)</sup>	V	10,399 <sup>(6)(7)</sup>	A	\$ 0	134,779	I	By Trust - A

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Common Stock \$.01 par value	11/30/2017	G <sup>(7)(8)</sup>	V	15,000 (7) (8)	D	\$ 0	119,779	I	By Trust - A
Common Stock \$.01 par value	11/30/2017	G <sup>(7)(8)</sup>	V	15,000 (7) (8)	A	\$ 0	38,000	I	By Trust - B
Common Stock \$.01 par value							9,000	I	By Trust - C
Common Stock \$.01 par value							655	I	By Trust - 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. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 10.03			Code V (A) (D)		06/03/2011 <sup>(1)</sup> 06/03/2020	Common Stock	0
Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 22.44					05/22/2013 <sup>(1)</sup> 05/22/2022	Common Stock	0

Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 23.15	05/14/2014 <sup>(1)</sup>	05/14/2024	Common stock	0
Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 21.55	05/14/2015 <sup>(3)</sup>	05/14/2024	Common Stock	0
Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 66.25	05/13/2016 <sup>(3)</sup>	05/13/2025	Common Stock	0
Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(4)</sup>	\$ 99.62	05/24/2017 <sup>(3)</sup>	05/24/2026	Common Stock	0
Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(4)</sup>	\$ 134.51	05/15/2018 <sup>(3)</sup>	05/15/2027	Common Stock	0

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MINOGUE MICHAEL R C/O ABIOMED, INC., 22 CHERRY HILL DRIVE DANVERS, MA 01923	X		President, CEO, Chairman	

## Signatures

/s/ Stephen C. McEvoy (by power of attorney) 04/03/2018

\*\*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) These options become exercisable in annual 25% increments, commencing on the date shown in Table II, Column 6.
- (2) 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. 2008 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (3) These options become exercisable in annual 33-1/3% increments, commencing on the date shown in Table II, Column 6.
- (4) 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.
- (5)

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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).

- (6) This transaction represents the transfer of common stock by bona fide gift from the reporting person to a trust held for the benefit of the reporting person's spouse. The reporting person's spouse is a trustee of the trust.
- (7) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and the filing of this report is not an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (8) This transaction represents the transfer of common stock by bona fide gift from a trust held for the benefit of reporting person's spouse to a trust held for the benefit of reporting person's children.

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