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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

06/30/2014

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Stock

Stock

Common

See Instruction

LUMPKINS ROBERT L				Symbol ECOLAB INC [ECL]					Issuer (Charle all applicable)			
	(Last) ECOLAB I STREET N	NC., 370 WABA	(N	Date of Earliest Transaction Month/Day/Year) 6/30/2014					(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
	SAINT PA	(Street) UL, MN 55102		If Amendriled(Month/I		Č	1	, - -	 Individual or Joir Applicable Line) X_ Form filed by On Form filed by Mo Person 	e Reporting Per	rson	
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I	- Non-	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Da any (Month/Day/	Year) (In		4. Securit onor Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (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)	
	Common Stock	05/23/2014		G <u>(</u>	<u>1)</u> V	37,891	D	\$ 0	28,635.1	D		
	Common Stock	05/23/2014		G <u>9</u>	<u>1)</u> V	37,891	A	\$0	37,891	I	By grantor retained annuity trust	
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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	nte	Amou	nt of	Derivative]
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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ities	(Instr. 5)]
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									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LUMPKINS ROBERT L ECOLAB INC. 370 WABASHA STREET N SAINT PAUL, MN 55102

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Signatures

/s/ David F. Duvick, as Attorney-in-Fact for Robert L. Lumpkins

07/02/2014

**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) On May 23, 2014, the reporting person contributed 37,891 shares of Ecolab Inc. Common Stock to a grantor retained annuity trust for the benefit of himself and his daughter. The reporting person's spouse serves as trustee of the grantor retained annuity trust.
- (2) Includes 69.40 shares acquired pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature of the Ecolab Inc. 2001 Non-Employee Director Stock Option and Deferred Compensation Plan.

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