### REICH VICTORIA Form 4 April 03, 2018

### FORM 4

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addr REICH VICTO	•	ting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ECOLAB INC. [ECL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(1	(F:4)	(M: 1.11)		(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner			
C/O ECOLAB INC., 1 ECOLAB		COLAB	03/31/2018	Officer (give title Other (specify			
PLACE				below) below)			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
			•	_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
SAINT PAUL,	, MN 5510	2		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I. Non Desirative Securities Ass	guired Disposed of an Panaficially Owner			

(City)	(State) (2	Table	: I - Non-Do	erivative S	ecuriti	es Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securiti	ies Acq	quired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	n(A) or Dis	posed	of	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5)	)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(1)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/31/2018		A	210.72	A	\$0	18,533.58 (1)	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)

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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transact Code (Instr. 8)	orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	<b>:</b>		Amou Under Securi (Instr.	lying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
REICH VICTORIA C/O ECOLAB INC. 1 ECOLAB PLACE SAINT PAUL, MN 55102	X						

## **Signatures**

/s/ David F. Duvick, as Attorney-In-Fact for Victoria
Reich

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) Includes 50.89 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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