FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Siebert Lawrence A.						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHEMBIO DIAGNOSTICS, INC. [cemi]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
Siebert	Lawrence	<u>A.</u>											X Directo	r	X	10% Ov	ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle)						Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)							X Officer below)	(give title		Other (s	pecify	
3661 HORSEBLOCK ROAD					01/0	01/03/2006							President					
(Street)				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
MEDFORD NY 11763										X Form filed by One Reporting Person								
(City) (State) (Zip)													Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - Non	-Deriv	ative	Sec	curities	Ac	quired, Di	sposed o	of, or Bei	neficiall	y Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da					Execution Date,			3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1				Beneficia Owned F	s Form		n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			Instr. 4)		
		7							uired, Dis , options,		,	•	Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	ercise (Month/Day/Year) of ative	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/	Date, Transa Code					6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				,	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
9% Series B Convertible Preferred	(1)	01/03/2006			J		0.0467		01/03/2006	(2)	Common Stock	3,831	(3)	1.0855	5	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. 81,967 common stock shares for 1 preferred share.
- 2. Doesn't expire
- $3.\ Acquired\ as\ payment\ of\ Series\ B\ Preferred\ dividend\ valued\ at\ \$50,000\ per\ share,\ payable\ on\ January\ 3,\ 2006.$

Lawrence A. Siebert 01/10/2006

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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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