MacLennan David Form 4 July 03, 2018

## FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MacLennan David	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ECOLAB INC. [ECL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an approacte)		
C/O ECOLAB INC., 1 ECOLAB PLACE	(Month/Day/Year) 06/30/2018	X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SAINT PAUL, MN 55102	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-I	<b>Derivative</b>	Securi	ities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4	posed	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	06/30/2018		A	203.94	A	\$0	2,127.52 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock							4,500	I	By David W. MacLennan 2011 GRAT
Common Stock							435	I	By Everett W. MacLennan Irrevocable Trust
Common							2,000	I	By Kathleen

F. Stock

> MacLennan Revocable Trust u/a dated 11/07/2002

> > (9-02)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amou Unde Secur	rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

#### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MacLennan David							
C/O ECOLAB INC.	X						
1 FCOLAR PLACE	Λ						

### **Signatures**

SAINT PAUL, MN 55102

/s/ David F. Duvick, as Attorney-in-Fact for David W. MacLennan

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

2 Reporting Owners

#### **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 4.86 shares acquired under a dividend reinvestment feature of the Ecolab Inc. 2001 Non-Employee Director Stock Option and Deferred Compensation Plan.

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