

Exhibit 14

CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, by letter received on October 12, 2022, International Brotherhood of Teamsters Local No. 710 Pension Fund (the “Shareholder” or “Teamsters 710”) made a demand pursuant to 805 Ill. Comp. Stat. 5/7.75 (the “Demand”) to inspect certain documents of Abbott Laboratories, Inc. (the “Company”);

WHEREAS, the Shareholder appointed Cohen Milstein Sellers & Toll PLLC (“Shareholder’s Counsel”) as its attorney for purposes of the Demand; and

WHEREAS, the documents sought by the Shareholder include non-public, confidential, proprietary, or commercially sensitive information of the Company;

IT IS AGREED by and between the undersigned counsel for the parties, this ____ day of January 2023, as follows:

1. The Company shall produce to Shareholder’s Counsel copies of certain documents called for by the Demand. All such documents to be produced by the Company are referred to herein as the “Confidential Information.”

2. By producing the Confidential Information to Shareholder’s Counsel, the Company does not admit that the Shareholder has stated a proper purpose for the inspection of such information and expressly reserves the right to assert that: (i) the Demand does not comply with Illinois law; (ii) the Shareholder has not stated a proper purpose; (iii) the stated purposes are not the Shareholder’s actual purposes; (iv) the stated purposes of the Demand do not have a credible basis; (v) the Demand is overly broad and seeks documents not reasonably related to the Shareholder’s stated purpose; and (vi) for any other reason, the Shareholder is not entitled to the inspection demanded. Likewise, by entering this Agreement and accepting the Confidential Information, the Shareholder does not waive any argument regarding his right to inspection and reserves the right to further assert in the future that: (i) the Demand complies with Illinois law; (ii) the Shareholder has standing and/or has stated a proper purpose; (iii) the stated purposes of the Demand have a credible basis; (iv) the Demand is not overly broad and seeks documents reasonably related to Shareholder’s stated purpose; and (v) for any other reason, Shareholder is entitled to the inspection demand.

3. The production of the Confidential Information is not, and will not be construed as, a waiver of any applicable privilege or immunity, including without limitation, the attorney-client privilege, the work product privilege, or the bank examination privilege.

4. The Company expressly reserves the right to withhold or redact documents protected from disclosure by the attorney-client privilege, the work product privilege, the bank examination privilege or any other applicable privilege, or doctrine, provided, however, that the Company shall provide the Shareholder with a privilege log on a timetable agreeable to both parties that includes any documents withheld on the basis of any such asserted privilege, or doctrine. The log will contain sufficient information for evaluation of a claim of privilege. The Shareholder does not admit that documents withheld, if any, are properly subject to protection from disclosure by any claimed privilege or doctrine.

5. If information subject to a claim of attorney-client privilege, attorney work product, or any other privilege or protection is inadvertently produced to the Shareholder or Shareholder's Counsel, such production shall in no way prejudice or otherwise constitute a waiver of any claim of privilege, work product, or other privilege or protection. If a claim of inadvertent production is made with respect to information then in the custody of the Shareholder or Shareholder's Counsel, the Shareholder or Shareholder's Counsel shall promptly return or destroy the information and all copies thereof to the Company, and the Shareholder or Shareholder's Counsel shall not use such information for any purpose. Should the Shareholder or Shareholder's Counsel thereafter seek to compel production of such material, neither the Shareholder nor Shareholder's Counsel shall assert the fact or circumstance of the inadvertent production as a ground for compelling production.

6. The Shareholder, Shareholder's Counsel, and each of Shareholder's Counsel's Advisors (defined in Paragraph 7 below) covenant and agree that the Confidential Information shall be used only for the purpose stated in the Demand. No Confidential Information may be used for any other purpose or in any matter not contemplated herein (including, but not limited to, any ongoing litigation).

7. Subject to the provisions of this Agreement, Shareholder's Counsel may provide Confidential Information to the Shareholder or to an Advisor only in the event that Shareholder's Counsel has received from the Shareholder or such Advisor a duly executed Undertaking in the

form attached hereto as Exhibit A. For purposes of this Agreement, “Advisor” shall mean only such agents, legal and financial advisors, consultants, or experts as Shareholder or Shareholder’s Counsel has retained for the purpose of fulfilling the purpose stated in the Demand.

8. The Shareholder, Shareholder’s Counsel, and each Advisor will keep the Confidential Information confidential and shall not disclose, publish, communicate, or transmit any of the Confidential Information to any person, either directly or indirectly. The Shareholder, Shareholder’s Counsel, and each Advisor will not maintain or store the Confidential Information in such a way that creates an unreasonable risk of deliberate or inadvertent disclosure of the Confidential Information to others. For the avoidance of doubt, Confidential Information shall also include, *inter alia*, documents reflecting Confidential Information (such as Attorney or Advisor work product, correspondence among counsel, *etc.*). Further, Confidential Information shall not include, and neither Shareholder nor Shareholder’s Counsel shall have any obligations hereunder with respect to, information that is or becomes generally available to the public other than as a result of disclosure by Shareholder, Shareholder’s Counsel, or any Advisor or as a result of an unlawful or unauthorized disclosure.

9. If the Shareholder determines to commence a lawsuit in any court, the Shareholder and Shareholder’s Counsel shall redact all references to Confidential Information in any pleadings filed with such court, serve an unredacted copy of any such pleadings on Counsel for the Company, and simultaneously file a motion to file the legal pleading and any other documents containing Confidential Information under seal. If such permission is denied, Shareholder’s Counsel shall provide five business days’ written notice to the Company prior to the filing of any such legal pleading with the court in an unredacted form, unless ordered to file such a pleading sooner.

10. Shareholder’s Counsel agrees that if the Shareholder decides that it does not intend to pursue the Demand any further, Shareholder’s Counsel will promptly so inform the Company in writing.

11. The Shareholder, Shareholder’s Counsel, and each Advisor will destroy all Confidential Information in its original format and all copies thereof (other than documents constituting work product or except for copies of documents that were actually filed in court that cite or refer to such Confidential Information) within 30 days of completing the purpose described

in the Demand, as evidenced by the later of the following: (i) the entry of final judgment in any legal proceeding (not including any action under 805 Ill. Comp. Stat. 5/7.75) relating to the Demand or the enforcement of the Shareholder's rights as a Shareholder of the Company; or (ii) the date on which Shareholder's Counsel informs the Company in writing that the Shareholder does not intend to pursue the issues raised in the Demand any further. When the Confidential Information, copies thereof, and notes or other documents pertaining thereto are destroyed, the Shareholder, Shareholder's Counsel, and each Advisor will certify that they have complied with this Agreement in all respects.

12. If the Shareholder, Shareholder's Counsel, or any Advisor are requested (whether by interrogatory, subpoena, or any similar process relating to any legal proceeding, investigation, hearing, or otherwise) to disclose any Confidential Information, Shareholder's Counsel and all Advisors shall: (i) provide the Company with prompt written notice upon receipt of such request so that the Company may seek a protective order or other appropriate remedy; and (ii) cooperate with the Company in pursuing any such course of action. In the event that a protective order or other remedy is not obtained, the Shareholder, Shareholder's Counsel, and any such Advisor shall disclose only such Confidential Information as they are legally compelled to disclose and shall exercise their best efforts to obtain assurances that confidential treatment will be accorded to any Confidential Information that is compelled to be disclosed.

13. The Shareholder, Shareholder's Counsel, and any Advisors hereby acknowledge that the unauthorized disclosure or use of Confidential Information will cause irreparable harm and significant injury which may be difficult to ascertain. Accordingly, the Shareholder, Shareholder's Counsel, and any Advisors agree that, without prejudice to the rights and remedies otherwise available to them, the Company shall have the right to equitable relief including a temporary restraining order and preliminary injunction, if the Shareholder, Shareholder's Counsel, or any Advisors breach or threaten to breach any provisions of this Agreement and that the Shareholder, Shareholder's Counsel, or any Advisors shall not oppose the granting of such relief, on the grounds that the Company has an adequate remedy at law or on any other grounds. Such right of the Company to equitable relief shall be in addition to any other remedies available to the Company.

14. All notices and other communications under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be given (and shall be deemed to have been duly given upon receipt) by hand-delivery, e-mail, facsimile, or overnight courier, as follows:

If to the Company:	If to the Shareholder:
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15. In the event that the Shareholder files any derivative action which relies on any Confidential Information obtained pursuant to the Demand, all Confidential Information shall be considered incorporated by reference into the complaint (subject to the filing requirements in Paragraph 9) and may be used by either the Shareholder or the Company for purposes of prosecuting or responding to the complaint, including on a motion to dismiss. For the avoidance of doubt, this paragraph does not change the pleading standard in any motion to dismiss filed in any derivative action relating to the subject matter referenced in the Demand. Before the incorporation by reference condition applies to any Confidential Information the Company voluntarily agrees or is ordered to produce, the Company shall provide written certification that, to the best of its knowledge and following a reasonable investigation, the Company's production is complete with respect all categories of documents and information that the Company voluntarily agreed to or was ordered to produce. This provision does not constitute a waiver of Stockholder's or Company's right to object to the Company's or Stockholder's use of any Confidential Information, whether or not deemed incorporated into a complaint by virtue of this provision, including objections to the admissibility of such documents on any other grounds, including hearsay.

16. This Agreement and all matters arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the validity thereof shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of Illinois, without giving effect to its principles or rules regarding conflicts of laws.

17. In the event that the Shareholder chooses to file any action arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the validity thereof relating to its books and records request, the Shareholder agrees to bring suit in the 19th Judicial Circuit Court in Lake County, Illinois. The Shareholder further consents that jurisdiction and venue is proper in the 19th Judicial Circuit Court in Lake County, Illinois for purposes of any books and records proceeding. In the event the Shareholder chooses to file a derivative action concerning the subject matter on which they seek inspection, the Shareholder agrees to bring the suit either in the 19th Judicial Circuit Court in Lake County, Illinois or in the Northern District of Illinois. For a derivative action, the Shareholder further consents that jurisdiction and venue is proper either in the 19th Judicial Circuit Court in Lake County, Illinois or in the Northern District of Illinois.

18. This Agreement may be executed in separate counterparts, each of which when so executed and delivered shall be an original, but all such counterparts shall together constitute one and the same instrument.

19. This Agreement may be modified or waived only by a separate writing executed by Shareholder's Counsel and the Company that expressly so modifies or waives this Agreement.

20. Failure or delay in exercising any right, power or privilege hereunder shall not operate as a waiver thereof, and no single or partial exercise of any right, power, or privilege hereunder shall preclude any other or further exercise of any right, power, or privilege.

21. This Agreement constitutes the only agreement between each of the Shareholder's Counsel and the Company with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersedes all prior agreements, understandings, negotiations, and discussions, whether oral or written.

AGREED TO BY:

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Dated: January 16, 2023

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Dated: January 25, 2023

EXHIBIT A

UNDERTAKING

I, _____ certify my understanding that Confidential Information is being provided to me pursuant to the terms and restrictions of a confidentiality agreement entered into between Carol V. Gilden on behalf of International Brotherhood of Teamsters Local No. 710 and James P. Gillespie on behalf of Abbott Laboratories, Inc., dated as of January __, 2023 (the “Confidentiality Agreement”). I have read the Confidentiality Agreement, I understand the terms of the Confidentiality Agreement, and I agree to be fully bound by the Confidentiality Agreement.

I understand that any violation of the terms of this Confidentiality Agreement will be subject to such relief as deemed appropriate by the Court.

Dated: _____

Signature: _____