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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MILES JOHN C II					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/ [XRAY]						<u>-/</u> (Ch	5. Relationship of Reporting Perso (Check all applicable) X Director			wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 221 WEST PHILADELPHIA STREET WEST BUILDING/DENTSPLY				04	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/13/2012							below)		Other (below)	
(Street) YORK (City)	PA		17405 (Zip)	4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					Line	ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned															
Date				. Transactio Date Month/Day/Y	Execution Date,		Code (Instr. 5)				Beneficia	s Formally (D) (ollowing (I) (I	Ownership orm: Direct O) or Indirect) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)		(111501.4)	
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)															
Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, To Courty or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		Code	ansaction of ode (Instr. Derivative		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 of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	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				
RSU (Restricted Stock Unit)	\$40.13	04/13/2012		A		7.16 ⁽¹⁾		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	7.16	\$40.13	5,232.042	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Dividend on existing vested or unvested Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) awarded to participant, payable as additional units of phantom stock.
- 2. Not applicable to this transaction.

Deborah M. Rasin, POA for John C. Miles II

04/17/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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