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* <u>CHOLMONDELEY PAULA H</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/ [ XRAY]						<u>/</u> [   (Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Perso (Check all applicable) X Director			10% Ow	ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 221 WEST PHILADELPHIA STREET WEST BUILDING/DENTSPLY				0	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/25/2012							below)	(give title		Other (specification)	
			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				
1. Title of S	Security (Inst			Transactio		2A. Deemed	d	3.	4. Secur	ties Acquire	d (A) or	5. Amoun		6. Own		. Nature of
Date (Month/Da					Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 5)		d Of (D) (Inst	r. 3, 4 and	Securities Beneficia Owned Fo	lly ollowing (	Form: I (D) or I (I) (Inst	ndirect E r. 4) C	Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
								Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transacti (Instr. 3 a	on(s)			,
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)															
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)	Code		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		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 Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio	Owr Fori ly Dire or Ir (I) (I	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(3)		
Phantom Stock (Directors' Deferred Comp)	(1)	06/25/2012		A		13.718 <sup>(2)</sup>		(3)	(4)	Common Stock	13.718	\$36.685	9,163.62	22	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Shares of phantom stock convert into common stock on a 1:1 basis.
- 2. Dividend on existing account balance.
- 3. Value paid in stock upon retirement.
- 4. Not applicable to this transaction.

<u>Deborah M. Rasin, POA for</u> Paula H. Cholmondeley

06/26/2012

\*\* 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).
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