FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* JELLISON WILLIAM R					DI	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/ [XRAY]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
					'		,						X Officer below)	(give title	Other below	(specify)	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 221 WEST PHILADELPHIA STREET WEST BUILDING/DENTSPLY					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/12/2012								Sr. VP & C.F.O.				
(Street) YORK	P.A	\ :	17405		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					Lin	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(SI	tate)	(Zip)														
		Tab	le I - Non	-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired, Di	sposed	of, or Be	eneficial	ly Owned	t t			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D.				Execution Date			n Date	Code (Instr. 5)					6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
							Code V	Amou	nt (A) (D)	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)		(1130.4)			
	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 Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	Date,	4. Transa Code (1 8)		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)		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivativ	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: y Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiratio Date	ı Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
RSU (Restricted Stock Unit)	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	10/12/2012			A		32 ⁽²⁾		(3)	(4)	Common Stock	32	\$38.14	22,796.53	35 D		
PRSU	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	10/12/2012			A		12 ⁽⁵⁾		(3)	(4)	Common Stock	12	\$38.14	6,795.73	5 D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares convert to common stock on a one for one basis.
- 2. Dividend on existing vested or unvested Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) awarded to participant, payable as additional units of phantom stock.
- 3. Vests in full (restrictions lapse) 3 years from date of grant.
- 4. Not applicable to this transaction.
- 5. Dividend on existing vested or unvested Performance based Restricted Stock Units (PRSUs) awarded to participant, payable as additional units of phantom stock.

<u>Deborah M. Rasin, POA for</u> William R. Jellison

10/12/2012

** 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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