FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGE	ES IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     JONES LESLIE A				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/					[ Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
			]	XRAY ]					X	X Director			10% Owner			
(Last)	(F	irst)	(Middle)									Officer ( below)	give title		ner (sp ow)	ecity
221 WEST PHILADELPHIA STREET				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)												
WEST BUILDING/DENTSPLY			١	03/25/2011												
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
Date				action 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transactio Code (Inst 8)				5. Amount Securities Beneficial Owned Fo	ly (i	. Ownership form: Direct D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	t B	7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Dwnership		
							Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 ar	on(s) nd 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																
1. Title of 2. Derivative Conversion Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) 3A. Deemed Execution Date, Transaction Execution Date if any		Transa 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 Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		ies g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Owne Form Direc or Inc (I) (In:	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)			
Directors' Deferred Comp (DDC)	\$36.14	03/25/2011		A		381.945 <sup>(1)</sup>		(2)	(3)	Common Stock	381.945	\$36.14	16,452.22	29 I	)	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Dividend on existing account balance.
- 2. Value paid in stock upon retirement.
- 3. Not applicable to this transaction.

Brian M Addison, POA for

03/29/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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