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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MILES JOHN C II				DI	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/ [XRAY]								Relationship neck all app X Direct	icable)	g Per	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 221 WEST PHILADELPHIA STREET WEST BUILDING/DENTSPLY				3. 🖸	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/07/2010									r (give title)		Other (s below)	specify	
(Street) YORK (City)	PA	\	17405 (Zip)		_ 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				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date 2. Transaction Date 3.											of Indirect							
(Mont)			(Month/	Day/Ye		any Month/Day/Year)			(Instr.	5) Amount	ount (A) or (D)		Benefic Owned Report Transa (Instr. 3	Following ed ction(s)	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 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	ion Date ise (Month/Day/Year) i	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	Code (Inst				6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		•	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 (Instr. 4)	illy D	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
RSU (Restricted Stock Unit) Granted ⁽¹⁾	\$31.87	10/07/2010			A		6.728		(2)		(3)	Common Stock	6.728	\$31.87	4,295.78	38	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Dividend on existing vested or unvested Restricted Stock Unit (RSUs) awarded to Reporting Person, payable as additional units of Phantom Stock.
- 2. Not applicable to this transaction.
- 3. Not applicable to this transaction.

Brian M Addison, POA for 10/07/2010

** 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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