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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

Name and Address of Reporting Person* JONES LESLIE A				<u> </u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/						[Che	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 221 WEST PHILADELPHIA STREET WEST BUILDING/DENTSPLY				3	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/25/2012							Officer (below)	give title	Other (s		
(Street) YORK PA 17405 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date				ransacti te			quired, Disposed of, or Benefic 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)			d (A) or	5. Amount Securities Beneficial Owned Fo	ly (C	orm: Direct 0) or Indirect) (Instr. 4)	'. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership		
Table II Dorive			rivativ	tive Securities Acqu			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 ar			(Instr. 4)		
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L. Title of Derivative Security Instr. 3) L. Title of Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security Conversion of Exercise (Month/Day/Year) A. Transaction Date Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		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(s)	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)			
Phantom Stock (Directors' Deferred	(1)	06/25/2012		A		524.647 ⁽²⁾		(3)	(4)	Common Stock	524.647	\$36.685	18,645.59	9 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> <u>Leslie A. Jones</u>

06/26/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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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