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>JELLISON WILLIAM R</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/ XRAY ]						/_[ (Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 221 WEST PHILADELPHIA STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/11/2013						- '	X Officer (give title Offier (specify below)  Sr. VP & C.F.O.				
WEST BUILDING/DENTSPLY  (Street)  YORK PA 17405				4	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)      X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	City) (State) (Zip)  Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned															
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date				. Transactio	2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr.	4. Securiti	posed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		6. Ownership Form: Direct D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect 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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	Code	action (Instr.	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 Amou of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction (Instr. 4)	n(s)		
PRSU	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/11/2013		A		11.948 <sup>(2)</sup>		(3)	(4)	Common Stock	11.948	\$39.01	6,807.68	3 D		
RSU (Restricted Stock Unit)	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/11/2013		A		31.791 <sup>(2)</sup>		(3)	(4)	Common Stock	31.791	\$39.01	22,828.32	26 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.
- ${\bf 4.\ Not\ applicable\ to\ this\ transaction.}$

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

01/15/2013

\*\* 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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