

CLARK CHRISTOPHER T  
Form 4  
May 16, 2011

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
CLARK CHRISTOPHER T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL  
INC /DE/ [XRAY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
05/12/2011

\_\_\_\_ Director  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
President & C.O.O.

221 WEST PHILADELPHIA  
STREET, WEST  
BUILDING/DENTSPLY

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

YORK, PA 17405

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |                                   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | Code  | V   | Amount   |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 05/12/2011                           |  | M                              | 100   | A   | \$ 0   | 16,732.97 D                       |
| Common Stock                    | 05/12/2011                           |  | S <sup>(1)</sup>               | 100   | D   | \$ 39  | 16,632.97 D                       |
| Common Stock                    | 05/13/2011                           |  | M                              | 27,842  | A   | \$ 0   | 44,474.97 D                       |
| Common Stock                    | 05/13/2011                           |  | S <sup>(2)</sup>               | 27,842  | D   | \$ 39  | 16,632.97 D                       |
|                                 | 05/16/2011                           |  | M                              | 6,558   | A   | \$ 0   | 23,190.97 D                       |

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Common  
Stock

Common Stock 05/16/2011 S<sup>(3)</sup> 6,558 D \$ 39 16,632.97 D

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

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**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/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 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) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Stock Option                               | \$ 18.485  | 05/12/2011                           |  | M                              | 100   | 12/11/2004 12/11/2012                                    | Common Stock  | 100                        |
| Stock Option                               | \$ 18.485  | 05/13/2011                           |  | M                              | 27,842  | 12/11/2004 12/11/2012                                    | Common Stock  | 27,842                     |
| Stock Option                               | \$ 18.485  | 05/16/2011                           |  | M                              | 6,558   | 12/11/2004 12/11/2012                                    | Common Stock  | 6,558                      |

## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CLARK CHRISTOPHER T  
221 WEST PHILADELPHIA STREET  
WEST BUILDING/DENTSPLY  
YORK, PA 17405

President & C.O.O.

## Signatures

Brian M Addison,  
POA for 05/16/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) The reported sales in this filing were effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan.
- (2) The reported sales in this filing were effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan.
- (3) The reported sales in this filing were effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan.

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