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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Ad MOSCH J	ldress of Reporting P AMES G	Person*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/ [XRAY]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)
(Last) (First) 15 STODDARD COURT		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2009	EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT
(Street) SPARKS	MD	21152	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) 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 (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(111341.4)		
Common Stock	05/20/2009		M		23,700	A	\$7.625	23,700	D			
Common Stock	05/20/2009		D		23,500	D	\$30.1057	200	D			
Common Stock	05/20/2009		D		100	D	\$30.17	100	D			
Common Stock	05/20/2009		D		100	D	\$30.14	0	D			

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 1. Title of 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount 8. Price of 9. Number of 11. Nature 10. Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Conversion **Execution Date** Transaction Securities Derivative of Indirect or Exercise Price of Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Underlying Derivative Security Derivative Security (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. Securities if any (Month/Day/Year) Security (Instr. 5) Form: Beneficial Direct (D) 8) Securities Beneficially Ownership Acquired (A) or Disposed (Instr. 3 and 4) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (I) (Instr. 4) Security Reported Transaction(s) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 4) Amount Number Date **Expiration** Code (A) (D) Exercisable Title Shares Stock \$7.625 05/20/2009 23,700 12/08/2002 12/08/2009 23,700 \$30.15 0 D

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Option

Brian M. Addison, POA for 05/21/2009

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Stock

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

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