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* MOSCH JAMES G						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 V Officer (give title Other (specify				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 221 W. PHILADELPHIA ST					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/08/2009							X Ollicer (give title Other (Specify below) EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT				
(Street) YORK (City)	YORK PA 17405-0872				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							i. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivat	ive Se	ecurities	s Ac	guired, D	isposed (of, or Be	neficial	v Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 5) 4. Securities Acquire Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 5)		ed (A) or	5. Amou Securitie Beneficia Owned F	nt of es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
		-	Fable II - De					uired, Dis , options				Owned	,		,	<u> </u>
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	ransaction Code (Instr.				6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	of Securit		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	is Silly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)
				Cod	e V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option	\$33.86	12/08/2009		A		16,867		12/08/2010	12/08/2019	Common Stock	16,867	\$33.86	16,867	7	D	
Stock Option	\$33.86	12/08/2009		A		16,866		12/08/2011	12/08/2019	Common Stock	16,866	\$33.86	16,866	6	D	
Stock Option	\$33.86	12/08/2009		A	\top	16,867	П	12/08/2012	12/08/2019	Common	16,867	\$33.86	16,867	7	D	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Brian M. Addison, POA for 12/10/2009

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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