FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     SCHEIHING BETTY JANE					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
SCHEITING BETTT JAINE				(XR	(XRAY)]						_   2	Director			10% Ow	·		
(Lact)							_	Officer ( below)	give title		Other (s below)	pecify						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2419 NE LAKEVIEW DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/25/2004								,			,		
(Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
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(City)	(State	) (Zip	D)											Person	ea by Mor	e tnan	One Repon	ing
		Table	l - Non	-Deriv	ative	Seci	urities	s Acc	ηuired,	, Dis	posed of	, or Ben	eficially	Owned				
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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)		on of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		е	7. Title an Amount o Securities Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 au	f g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s ally	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Phantom Stock (2Q2004 Deferred Compensation)	\$49.47	06/25/2004			A		2.47		06/28/20	004 <sup>(1)</sup>	(1)	Common Stock	2.47	\$0	2.47	,	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Value paid in stock upon retirement

By: Brian M. Addison, Esquire,

POA for

06/28/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

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