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					<u>D</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/  [ (XRAY) ]											ationship of Reporting k all applicable) Director Officer (give title		10% Ov	wner	
(Last) 15 STOI	(Fi DDARD CC	*	, ,					est Tran	nsactio	on (Moi	nth/[	Day/Year)	, X	below)	below) below) SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT						
(Street) SPARKS (City)			21152 (Zip)		-   4. l	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Line)	ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriv	vative	e Sec	curit	ies Ac	qui	red, C	Disp	osed c	of, or B	enef	iciall	y Owned	ł				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.			4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			4 and Securiti Benefic Owned		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) Pr		rice	Transac	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock			02/2	6/2004	4				M		9,750	) A		\$11.67	7 9,	750	0 D			
Common	Stock			02/2	6/2004	4				S		9,750	) [		\$0	0	.00		D		
		Т	able II -									sed of onverti				Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Transa Code (					6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year			Amount of			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Ow For Direction (I) (	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	cisable		xpiration ate	Title	or Nu of	mber ares						
Stock Option	\$11.67	02/26/2004			M			9,750	05/2	24/1998	05	5/24/2005	Commor Stock	9,	750	\$0	0.00		D		

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

By: Brian M. Addison, P.O.A.

<u>for</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

02/26/2004

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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