FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAL	. OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  JONES LESLIE A				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/ (XRAY) ]							[ (Che	elationship o	able)	Perso	10% Ov	vner		
					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/26/2007								below)	give title		Other (s below)	вреспу 	
(Street) YORK (City)	rt) RK PA 17402					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  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. Transa Date (Month/D			Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)			(A) or 3, 4 and 5	5. Amoun Securities Beneficia Owned Fo	Forn (D) o ollowing (I) (II		Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction (Instr. 3 and	on(s)			(Instr. 4)			
	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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,		Transaction of Code (Instr. Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  7. Title and An of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)			ies g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				or Nu Date Expiration of				Number										
Phantom Stock (3Q2007 Deferred Compensation)	\$40.89	09/26/2007			A		296.09		(1)		(1)	Common Stock	296.09	\$40.89	296.09	9	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

Value paid in stock upon retirement

## Remarks:

By: Brian M. Addison, Esquire,

POA for

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

09/28/2007 Date

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

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