

HOMBACH ROBERT J.  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â HOMBACH ROBERT J.		(Month/Day/Year)	BAXTER INTERNATIONAL INC [BAX]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	07/05/2010	
ONE BAXTER PARKWAY			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
DEERFIELD,Â ILÂ 60015			<input type="checkbox"/> Director	<input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
			(give title below)	(specify below)
			Corporate Vice President & CFO	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
				<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock, \$1 par value	17,131	D	Â
Common Stock, \$1 par value	2,060	I	By 401(k) Plan

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/14/2009	03/14/2017	Common Stock, \$1 par value	12,600	\$ 38.35	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/15/2008	03/15/2017	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,000	\$ 51.21	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/15/2009	03/15/2017	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,000	\$ 51.21	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/15/2010	03/15/2017	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,000	\$ 51.21	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/05/2009	03/05/2018	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,200	\$ 58.12	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/05/2010	03/05/2018	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,200	\$ 58.12	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/05/2011	03/05/2018	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,200	\$ 58.12	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/04/2010	03/04/2019	Common Stock, \$1 par value	5,290	\$ 52.5	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/04/2011	03/04/2019	Common Stock, \$1 par value	5,290	\$ 52.5	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/04/2012	03/04/2019	Common Stock, \$1 par value	5,290	\$ 52.5	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/03/2011	03/03/2020	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,063	\$ 59	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/03/2012	03/03/2020	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,063	\$ 59	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/03/2013	03/03/2020	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,064	\$ 59	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HOMBACH ROBERT J. ONE BAXTER PARKWAY DEERFIELD, IL 60015	Â	Â	Â Corporate Vice President & CFO	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Robert J.  
Hombach

07/09/2010

\_\_Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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