

JONES LESLIE A
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
JONES LESLIE A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/ [XRAY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/09/2009

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

ASHLAR HOUSE, 1921 STRAWBERRY FIELDS

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person
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YORK, PA 17402

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	02/09/2009		M			18,000	A	\$ 8.9167	206,058	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2009		S			7,000	D	\$ 26.7974	199,058	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2009		S			100	D	\$ 26.81	198,958	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2009		S			10,900	D	\$ 26.7348	188,058	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2009		S			6,811	D	\$ 26.734	181,247	D	

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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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 8.9167	02/09/2009		M	7,000	06/11/2002 06/11/2009	Common Stock 7,000
Stock Option	\$ 8.9167	02/09/2009		M	100	06/11/2002 06/11/2009	Common Stock 100
Stock Option	\$ 8.9167	02/09/2009		M	10,900	06/11/2002 06/11/2009	Common Stock 10,900

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JONES LESLIE A ASHLAR HOUSE 1921 STRAWBERRY FIELDS YORK, PA 17402		X		

Signatures

Brian M. Addison, POA for Leslie A. Jones 02/11/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Not applicable to this transaction

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