DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

JONES LESLIE A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL

INC /DE/ [(XRAY)]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

04/07/2008

(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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ASHLAR HOUSE, 1921

STRAWBERRY FIELDS

(Street)

(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

below)

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

X_ Director

Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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

YORK, PA 17402

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Zip)

3. Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership Form: Direct (I) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

10% Owner

Other (specify

(A) or Code V Amount (D) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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

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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

Conversion

Derivative

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of

5. Number

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of 8. Pri Underlying Securities Deriv

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Derivat Securit Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3	ies ed ed	(Month/Day,	/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Secur (Instr.
				Code V	and 5) (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Additional RSUs (1)	(2) (3)	04/07/2008		A	0.98		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	0.98	\$ 39

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

By: Brian M. Addison, Esquire, POA for 04/09/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(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).
- (1) Dividend on existing vested or unvested Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) awarded to participant, payable as additional units of phantom stock
- (2) Value paid in stock upon retirement
- (3) Not applicable to this transaction.

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