ALFANO MICHAEL C Form 4

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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

may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

obligations

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

ALFANO MICHAEL C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

INC /DE/ [XRAY]

(Month/Day/Year) 07/07/2009

221 W. PHILADELPHIA ST

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

YORK, PA 17405-0872

(Middle)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

or

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)

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price 1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. 6. Date Exercisable and Derivative **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionNumber Deriva (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) Security or Exercise Code Securit any of

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8		Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				(Instr. 5		
			Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Additional RSUs (1)	\$ 30.93	07/07/2009		A		5.1		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	5.1	\$ 30.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ALFANO MICHAEL C 221 W. PHILADELPHIA ST YORK, PA 17405-0872	X						

Signatures

Brian M.
Addison, POA

**Signature of Reporting

Date

Person

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) Not applicable to this transaction

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