

KOZY WILLIAM A  
Form 4  
June 05, 2006

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**KOZY WILLIAM A**

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**BECTON DICKINSON & CO**  
**[BDX]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND**  
**COMPANY, 1 BECTON DRIVE**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**03/10/2006**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_X\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**President - BD Diagnostics**

(Street)  
**FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417**

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

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**

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 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/10/2006		G	800	D \$ 0	62,723	D
Common Stock	06/01/2006		M	46,592	A \$ 29.34	109,315	D
Common Stock	06/01/2006		S	46,592	D \$ (1) 60.96	62,723	D
Common Stock						9,470 (2)	I SIP Trust

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.34	06/01/2006		M	46,592	01/28/2000 <sup>(3)</sup> 01/28/2008	Common Stock 46,5

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
KOZY WILLIAM A C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY 1 BECTON DRIVE FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417	Director 10% Owner Officer Other President - BD Diagnostics

## Signatures

Patricia Walesiewicz, by power of attorney for William A. Kozy 06/05/2006

\_\_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) The reported sale price reflects an average price for six separate transactions. The actual sales prices for the transactions ranged from \$60.95 through \$61.00.
- (2) Represents shares of common stock held under the Becton, Dickinson and Company Savings Incentive Plan (the "SIP"). The information presented for the SIP is as of May 31, 2006.
- (3) The option became 50% exercisable on January 28, 2000 and fully exercisable on January 28, 2001.

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