#### KOZY WILLIAM A

Form 4

November 28, 2006

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

**BECTON DICKINSON & CO** [BDX]

(Middle)

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

11/24/2006

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY, 1 BECTON DRIVE

(First)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

**Executive Vice President** 

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

FRANKLIN I	LAKES, NJ	07417
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(City)	(State) (Z	ate) (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)	cution Date, if Transactio Code			or 9) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	11/24/2006		A	1,909 (1)	A	\$0	68,080	D		
Common Stock	11/24/2006		A	7,777 (2)	A	\$0	75,857	D		
Common Stock	11/24/2006		F	3,746	D	\$0	72,111	D		
Common Stock							9,623 (3)	I	SIP Trust	

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 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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		nnsaction Derivative Expiration Date de Securities (Month/Day/Year) str. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Instr		
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Rights to Common Stock	<u>(4)</u>	11/24/2006		A		8,851 (5)		<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	8,851	\$

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

**KOZY WILLIAM A** C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY 1 BECTON DRIVE FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417

**Executive Vice President** 

## **Signatures**

Patricia Walesiewicz, by power of attorney for William A. Kozy

11/28/2006

\*\*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) Represents restricted stock units.
- (2) Represents shares of BD common stock issued upon the vesting of performance units awarded on November 24, 2003.
- 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 October 31, 2006.
- (4) The securities convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.

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- Includes 2,200 shares of BD common stock distributable upon the vesting of performance units awarded on November 24, 2003, which were mandatorily deferred. Also includes 6,651 shares distributable under the award in installments on November 24, 2007 and November 24, 2008.
- The deferred securities will be distributed at such time as the deduction of the payment of these shares will not be limited under Section 162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code. The remaining securities will be distributed on the dates specified in footnote 5.

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