

BECTON DICKINSON & CO
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FORM 4

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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 *
BECTON HENRY P JR

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)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/19/2015

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

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

(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
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 03/19/2015 | | M | 1,010 A \$ 138.08 | 114,763 | I | See footnote (1) |
| Common Stock | | | | | 75,213 | I | See footnote (2) |
| Common Stock | | | | | 37,166 | I | By wife (3) |
| Common Stock | | | | | 108,552 | I | See footnote |

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|--------------|------------|---|-------------------------|
| Common Stock | 11,175 | I | (4) See footnote (5) |
| Common Stock | 17,000 | I | See footnote (6) |
| Common Stock | 27,628 (7) | D | |

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. 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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|---|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Rights to Common Stock Under 1996 Directors Deferral Plan | (8) | 03/19/2015 | | M | 1,010 | 03/19/2015 03/19/2015 | Common Stock | 1,010 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| BECTON HENRY P JR C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY | X | | | |

1 BECTON DRIVE
FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417

Signatures

Richard Stout, by power of attorney for Henry P.
Becton, Jr.

03/20/2015

__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 shares held in trust and/or limited liability company for benefit of reporting person.
- (2) Represents shares held in trust of which reporting person is a beneficiary and a trustee.
- (3) Represents shares held in trust and directly by spouse.
- (4) By trusts for benefit of reporting person's children, with wife and independent advisor as co-trustees. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.
- (5) By trust for benefit of reporting person and his siblings, of which he is a co-trustee.
- (6) Represents shares held in trust for benefit of reporting person's wife and descendants of which wife is a co-trustee. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.
- (7) Includes restricted stock units awarded under the Becton, Dickinson and Company 2004 Employee and Director Equity-Based Compensation Plan.
- (8) The securities convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.

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