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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person \*

Mecklenburg Gary A

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

11/23/2004

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

BECTON DICKINSON & CO [BDX]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

(Street)

\_X\_ Director Officer

Other (give title below) (specify below)

(Check all applicable)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

FRANKLIN LAKES, NJÂ 07417

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

0

3. Ownership

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect

SEC 1473 (7-02)

(I)

Ownership (Instr. 5)

10% Owner

(Instr. 5) Â D

Common Stock

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

**Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

2. Date Exercisable and 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. Conversion or Exercise

5. Ownership Form of (Instr. 5)

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

Price of Derivative Derivative Security:

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Date Expiration Title Exercisable Date

Amount or Security Number of Shares Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

#### **Reporting Owners**

FRANKLIN LAKES, NJÂ 07417

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Mecklenburg Gary A

C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY 1 BECTON DRIVE

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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# **Signatures**

Patricia Walesiewicz, by power of attorney for Gary A. Mecklenburg

12/02/2004

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MINEHAN RAYMOND J 600 CALIFORNIA STREET 9TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94108	X			

# **Signatures**

Raymond J.

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\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- (1) Restricted Stock granted from MCF Corporation 2006 Directors' Stock Option & Incentive Plan as compensation for Board of Director services.

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