#### **BECTON DICKINSON & CO**

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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(Print or Type Responses)

BECTON DICKINSON & CO [BDX] (Check all applicable)	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest TransactionX_ Director10% Own (Month/Day/Year)Officer (give title below) Other (sp below)  C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND 01/12/2015			
COMPANY, 1 BECTON DRIVE			
(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Chapter) Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417  — Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State) (	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D)	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	01/12/2015		M	2,160	A	\$ 57.21	113,753	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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			(4)
Common Stock	11,175	I	See footnote (5)
Common Stock	17,000	I	See footnote (6)
Common Stock	26,192 (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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on 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 a Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 57.21	01/12/2015		M	2,160	02/01/2006(8)	02/01/2015	Common Stock	2,160

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 6	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BECTON HENRY P JR C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY 1 BECTON DRIVE FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417	X					

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### **Signatures**

Richard Stout, by power of attorney for Henry P.	01/14/2015
Recton Ir	01/14/2013

\*\*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 thes 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 stock options vest in four annual installments beginning February 1, 2006.

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