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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORP [(BSX)] A Goodman Jeffrey H (Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2004 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) ONE BOSTON SCIENTIFIC (Check all applicable) **PLACE** (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other

NATICK, MAÂ 017601537

(give title below) (specify below) SVP-International Person

Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

Ownership Form: Direct (D)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership (Instr. 5)

(I)

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and 3. Title and Amount of 4. 5. 6. Nature of Indirect (Instr. 4) **Expiration Date** Securities Underlying Conversion Ownership Beneficial Ownership (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Security or Exercise Form of (Instr. 5) Price of Derivative (Instr. 4) Security: Derivative Date Expiration Title Amount or Security Direct (D) Number of Exercisable Date or Indirect Shares

						(Illstr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	07/25/2010	Common Stock	9,000	\$ 8.5	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	12/17/2011	Common Stock	12,500	\$ 12.5	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(3)	12/09/2012	Common Stock	28,500	\$ 21.255	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(4)	12/11/2013	Common Stock	20,000	\$ 34.79	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Goodman Jeffrey H ONE BOSTON SCIENTIFIC PLACE NATICK Â MAÂ 017601537	Â	Â	Â SVP-International	Â		

Signatures

By: /s/ Lawrence J. Knopf, Attorney-in-fact

12/23/2004

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Grant to the reporting person of an option to buy a specified number of shares of Common Stock exercisable 25% on July 25, 2001, 50% on July 25, 2002, 75% on July 25, 2003 and 100% on July 25, 2004, the anniversary date of the grant.
- (2) Grant to the reporting person of an option to buy a specified number of shares of Common Stock exercisable 25% on December 17, 2002, 50% on December 17, 2003, 75% on December 17, 2004 and 100% on December 17, 2005, the anniversary date of the grant.
- (3) Grant to the reporting person of an option to buy a specified number of shares of Common Stock exercisable 25% on December 9, 2003, 50% on December 9, 2004, 75% on December 9, 2005 and 100% on December 9, 2006, the anniversary date of the grant.
- (4) Grant to the reporting person of an option to purchase a specified number of shares exercisable in equal annual installments beginning on December 11, 2004, 2005, 2006 and 2007, the anniversary date of the grant.

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