BECTON HENRY P JR

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **BECTON HENRY PJR** Issuer Symbol **BECTON DICKINSON & CO** (Check all applicable) [BDX] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND 06/08/2010 COMPANY, 1 BECTON DRIVE (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

192,107

FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417

Common

Stock

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price \$ See Common 20,415 06/08/2010 S D 68.34 40,829 Ι footnote (1) Stock (2) (3) \$ See Common 18,138 06/08/2010 S D 68.34 Ι footnote 554,134 (1) Stock (2) (4) Common 37,176 Ι By wife (5)Stock I See

footnote

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			(6)
Common Stock	108,712	I	See footnote (7)
Common Stock	16,200	I	See footnote (8)
Common Stock	196,553	I	See footnote
Common Stock	14,050	I	See footnote (10)
Common Stock	17,008	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)

 Title of 	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	ionNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	int of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date Expirate Exercisable Date	Expiration	Title	or Number	
							Date	Title	of	
				Codo V	(A) (D)				Shares	
				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

N HENRY P JR

X

BECTON HENRY P JR C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY

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1 BECTON DRIVE FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417

Signatures

Patricia Walesiewicz, by power of attorney for Henry P. Becton, Jr.

06/08/2010

**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) The sale reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan (the "Plan") adopted by the reporting person.
- The reported sale price reflects the weighted average sale price for multiple transactions. The actual sales prices for the transactions ranged from \$68.23 to \$68.46. Full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price will be provided to the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer upon request.
- (3) Represents shares held in trust for parent of which reporting person is a co-trustee.
 - Represents shares held in a limited liability company (the "LLC") in which the reporting person had previously held a passive interest.
- (4) The reporting person obtained investment control upon the death of his father in October 2009. The reporting person disclaims beneficial interest in the shares except to the extent of his interest in the LLC.
- (5) Represents shares held in trust and directly by spouse.
- (6) Held in trust and/or limited liability company for benefit of reporting person.
- (7) By trusts for benefit of reporting person's children, with wife and independent advisor as co-trustees.
- (8) Represents shares held in certain trusts of which reporting person is a co-trustee. These shares were formerly in trust for reporting person's parent.
- (9) Represents shares held in trust for sibling of which reporting person is a co-trustee.
- (10) By trust for benefit of reporting person and his siblings, of which he is a co-trustee.

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