

DENTSPY INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
KUNKLE GARY K JR

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2873 DEER CHASE LANE

(Street)

YORK, PA 17403

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
DENTSPY INTERNATIONAL
INC /DE/ [(XRAY)]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/16/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
VICE CHAIRMAN AND CEO

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

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 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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	02/16/2005		M	V 24,400	A \$ 16.08	39,400	D
Common Stock	02/16/2005		M	V 24,400	A \$ 16.08	63,800	D
Common Stock	02/16/2005		M	V 24,400	A \$ 16.08	88,200	D
Common Stock	02/16/2005		S	V 73,200	D \$ 57.33	15,000	D
Common Stock						7,500	I By IRA

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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)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	
Stock Option	\$ 16.08	02/16/2005		M	24,400	01/07/1998	01/07/2007	Common Stock 24,400
Stock Option	\$ 16.08	02/16/2005		M	24,400	01/07/1999	01/07/2007	Common Stock 24,400
Stock Option	\$ 16.08	02/16/2005		M	24,400	01/07/2000	01/07/2007	Common Stock 24,400

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KUNKLE GARY K JR 2873 DEER CHASE LANE YORK, PA 17403			VICE CHAIRMAN AND CEO	

Signatures

By: Brian M. Addison, Esquire,
POA for 02/17/2005

**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).

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