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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

			BAXTER INTERNATIONAL INC [BAX]				INC	(Check all applicable)				
(Last) ONE BAX	. , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			of Earliest Transaction Day/Year) 2012					_X_ Director Officer (give below)		Owner er (specify	
(Street) 4. If Amer				ndment, Date Original hth/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned												
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year) Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transac Code (Instr. 8	3)	(A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock, \$1 par value	12/05/2012			M		4,830	A	\$ 36.8	20,213	D		
Common Stock, \$1 par value	12/05/2012			M		5,660	A	\$ 38.93	25,873	D		
Common Stock, \$1 par value	12/05/2012			S		6,156	D	\$ 64.72 (1)	19,717	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)	Securities		of Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		: : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 36.8	12/05/2012		M		4,830	05/03/2006	05/03/2015	Common Stock, \$1 par value	4,830	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 38.93	12/05/2012		M		5,660	05/01/2007	05/09/2016	Common Stock, \$1 par value	5,660	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer Other				
Devitt Blake E							
ONE BAXTER PARKWAY	X						
DEERFIELD, IL 60015							

Signatures

/s/ Stephanie A. Shinn, Attorney-in-Fact fo Blake E.

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12/07/2012

**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) Price reflects weighted average sales price. Range of prices for transaction is \$64.72 through \$64.73. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided by the issuer upon request.

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