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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement BAXTER INTERNATIONAL INC [BAX] A Bufalino Sebastian J (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2013 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) ONE BAXTER PARKWAY (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person DEERFIELD, ÂILÂ 60015 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One Corporate Vice President Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) **Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned** 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock, \$1 par value 3,302 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	· ·		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			(Instr. 4)		Price of Deri	Derivative	(Instr. 5)	
	Date	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative	Security:		
	Exercisable		Title		Security	Direct (D)		
						or Indirect		

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Deferred Comp Plan Baxter Common Stock Fund	(1)	(1)	Common Stock, \$1 par value	759	\$ <u>(2)</u>	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/14/2008	03/13/2015	Common Stock, \$1 par value	24,000	\$ 34.85	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/14/2009	03/14/2016	Common Stock, \$1 par value	21,600	\$ 38.35	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/15/2008	03/15/2017	Common Stock, \$1 par value	3,333	\$ 51.21	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/15/2009	03/15/2017	Common Stock, \$1 par value	3,333	\$ 51.21	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/15/2010	03/15/2017	Common Stock, \$1 par value	3,334	\$ 51.21	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/05/2009	03/05/2018	Common Stock, \$1 par value	2,666	\$ 58.12	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/05/2010	03/05/2018	Common Stock, \$1 par value	2,667	\$ 58.12	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/05/2011	03/05/2018	Common Stock, \$1 par value	2,667	\$ 58.12	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/04/2010	03/04/2019	Common Stock, \$1 par value	2,600	\$ 52.5	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/04/2011	03/04/2019	Common Stock, \$1 par value	2,600	\$ 52.5	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/04/2012	03/04/2019	Common Stock, \$1 par value	2,600	\$ 52.5	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/03/2011	03/03/2020	Common Stock, \$1 par value	3,072	\$ 59	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/05/2012	03/03/2020	Common Stock, \$1 par value	3,073	\$ 59	D	Â

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Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/04/2013	03/03/2020	Common Stock, \$1 par value	3,073	\$ 59	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/04/2012	03/04/2021	Common Stock, \$1 par value	3,584	\$ 53.8	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/04/2013	03/04/2021	Common Stock, \$1 par value	3,584	\$ 53.8	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/04/2014	03/04/2021	Common Stock, \$1 par value	3,585	\$ 53.8	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/06/2013	03/04/2022	Common Stock, \$1 par value	3,691	\$ 57.48	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/06/2014	03/04/2022	Common Stock, \$1 par value	3,692	\$ 57.48	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/06/2015	03/04/2022	Common Stock, \$1 par value	3,692	\$ 57.48	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Bufalino Sebastian J ONE BAXTER PARKWAY DEERFIELD, IL 60015	Â	Â	Corporate Vice President	Â			

Signatures

/s/ Sebastian J.
Bufalino

_**Signature of Reporting Person

O3/04/2013

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) Reporting person allocated compensation deferred under Baxter's Deferred Compensation Plan to the Baxter Common Stock Fund notional investment alternative. Reporting person's account balance is payable subject to the terms of the Plan.
- (2) 1-for-1

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