

BECTON DICKINSON & CO  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
TOZZI WILLIAM A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
BECTON DICKINSON & CO  
[BDX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/03/2006

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below)  
\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
VP and Controller

C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY, 1 BECTON DRIVE  
  
(Street)

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

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

FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 (A) 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |                    |   |           |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|--------------------|---|-----------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |   |                    |   |           |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | Code  | V   | Amount   |   |                    |   |           |
| Common Stock                    | 11/03/2006                           |  | M                              |   | 2,852   | A  | \$ 35.06  | 14,332             | D |           |
| Common Stock                    | 11/03/2006                           |  | F                              |   | 1,416   | D  | \$ 70.62  | 12,916             | D |           |
| Common Stock                    | 11/06/2006                           |  | M                              |   | 12,000  | A  | \$ 31.85  | 24,916             | D |           |
| Common Stock                    | 11/06/2006                           |  | S                              |   | 12,000  | D  | \$ 72   | 12,916             | D |           |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  |   | 187 <sup>(1)</sup> | I | SIP Trust |



## 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) Represents shares of common stock held under the Becton, Dickinson and Company Savings Incentive Plan (the "SIP"). The information presented for the SIP is as of October 31, 2006.
- (2) The option became 50% exercisable on January 25, 2001 and fully exercisable on January 25, 2002.
- (3) The option became 50% exercisable on January 24, 2002 and fully exercisable on January 24, 2003.

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