FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  RIMEL REBECCA W  |  |                  |            |   | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BECTON DICKINSON & CO [ BDX ] |  |                        |   |   |  |   |                        |   |   | tionship of R<br>all applicab<br>Director  |   | eporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>e)<br>10% Owner                    |                    |   |
|--|--|------------------|------------|---|---|--|------------------------|---|---|--|---|------------------------|---|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|
| (Last)   | (First)                                    | (Mi              | iddle)     |   |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/27/2015  |                        |   |   |  |   |                        |   |   | Officer (g<br>below)   | ive title   |  | Other (s<br>below) | specify   |
| C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY 1 BECTON DRIVE   |  |                  |            |   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                  |  |                        |   |   |  |   |                        | 6. Indiv  |   |  |   |  |                    |   |
| (Street)   |  |                  |            |   |   |  |                        |   |   |  |   |                        |   |   | Form file  | d by More   | than C   | ne Reportin        | g Person  |
| FRANKLIN<br>LAKES  | NJ   | 07               | 417        |   |   |  |                        |   |   |  |   |                        |   |   |  |   |  |                    |   |
| (City)   | (State)                                    | (Zi <sub>l</sub> | p)         |   |   |  |                        |   |   |  |   |                        |   |   |  |   |  |                    |   |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned   |  |                  |            |   |   |  |                        |   |   |  |   |                        |   |   |  |   |  |                    |   |
| Date   |  |                  |            |   | Fransaction (e Execution Date, onth/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)           |  | Execution Date, if any |   | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8) |  | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a |                        |   |   | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially Owned<br>Following Reported<br>Transaction(s) |   | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4)  |                    | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|  | Code                                       | v                | Amount (A) |   |   |  | or                     | Price   | (Instr. 3 and 4)                        |  |   |                        | (111501.4)  |   |  |   |  |                    |   |
| Common Stock 01/2  |  |                  |            |   |   | 5  |                        |   | A                                       |  | 1,345   | 45 <sup>(1)</sup> A \$ |   | \$ <mark>0</mark>   | 6,252(2)   |   |  | D                  |   |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |  |                  |            |   |   |  |                        |   |   |  |   |                        |   |   |  |   |  |                    |   |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security (Instr. 3)   | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Date Execution I |            | Year) Transaction Der Code (Instr. Sec or I |   | 5. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired (A)<br>or Disposed of<br>(D) (Instr. 3, 4<br>and 5) |                        | 6. Date Exercisa<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Yea |   | e Securities Under<br>ar) Derivative Secur<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |   | erlying                | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s<br>(Instr. 4) |  | Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |                    |   |
|  |  |                  |            |   |   | (A)  | (D)                    | Date<br>Exercisa                                      |   | Expiration<br>Date   | or<br>Nur   |                        |   |   | (11301.4)  |   |  |                    |   |

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents restricted stock units awarded under the Becton, Dickinson and Company 2004 Employee and Director Equity-Based Compensation Plan.
- 2. Includes rights acquired through dividend reinvestment since the last report filed by the reporting person.

## Remarks:

Richard Stout, by power of attorney for Rebecca W. Rimel

01/29/2015

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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