BECTON DICKINSON & CO

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MAHMOUD ADEL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

BECTON DICKINSON & CO

[BDX]

(Check all applicable)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/30/2007

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY, 1 BECTON DRIVE

(First)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Middle)

(Zip)

Filed(Month/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

FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417

(State)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1. Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned **Following**

6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Ownership (Instr. 4) Indirect (I)

Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s)

or Amount Price (D)

(A)

Code V

1,561.48 01/30/2007 A (1)

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(Instr. 3 and 4)

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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration I (Month/Day	ate	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Prio Deriva Secur (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Rights to Common Stock Under 1996 Directors Deferral Plan	<u>(2)</u>	01/31/2007		A	48.69	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	48.69	\$ 77

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
copyring of the runner runner	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MAHMOUD ADEL C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY 1 BECTON DRIVE FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417	X					

Signatures

Patricia Walesiewicz, by power of attorney for Adel
Mahmoud

02/01/2007

**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) Represents restricted stock units awarded under the Becton, Dickinson and Company 2004 Employee and Director Equity-Based Compensation Plan.
- (2) The securities convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (3) The securities are distributed following termination of the reporting person's service as a director, or on the date or dates specified by the reporting person.

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