FLEISHMAN JOEL LAWRENCE
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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 *
FLEISHMAN JOEL LAWRENCE

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE BOSTON SCIENTIFIC PLACE

(Street)

NATICK, MA 017601537

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORP [(BSX)]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/09/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)
__X__ Director
_____ 10% Owner
_____ Officer (give title below)
_____ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	01/09/2006		A		8,000	A	$ 10.44	96,567	D	
Common Stock								12,750	I	By Charitable Foundation (1)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. D Sec (Ins
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy) NED	$ 10.44	01/09/2006		M			8,000	(2)	05/10/2006	Common Stock	8,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FLEISHMAN JOEL LAWRENCE ONE BOSTON SCIENTIFIC PLACE NATICK, MA 017601537	X			

Signatures

By: /s/ Lawrence J. Knopf, Attorney-in-fact	01/11/2006
**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) Common stock held by charitable trust to which the reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership.

(2) Grant to reporting person of options to buy 4,000 shares of Common Stock exercisable in annual installments of 1,333 shares on May 10, 1997, 1,333 shares on May 10, 1998 and 1,334 shares on May 10, 1999, the anniversary date of the grant.

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