

DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/  
Form 10-Q/A  
October 30, 2009  
UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q/A

(Amendment)

QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2009

OR

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

Commission File Number 0-16211

**DENTSPLY International Inc.**

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

39-1434669

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(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

221 West Philadelphia Street, York, PA

17405-0872

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(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(717) 845-7511

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is a well-known seasoned issuer, as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act.

Yes            No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.

Yes            No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, or a non-accelerated filer. See definition of "accelerated filer and large accelerated filer" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer            Accelerated filer      Non-accelerated filer      Smaller reporting company

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act).

Yes      No     

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date: At October 28, 2009, DENTSPLY International Inc. (the "Company") had 152,035,594 shares of Common Stock outstanding, with a par value of \$.01 per share.

**Explanatory Note**

DENTSPLY International Inc. is filing this Amendment (the "Form 10-Q/A") to our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 2009 (the "Form 10-Q"), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") on October 29, 2009, for the sole purpose of furnishing the Interactive Data File as Exhibit 101. The Interactive Data File was inadvertently omitted from the Form 10-Q as originally filed due to unanticipated technical difficulties.

No other changes have been made to the Form 10-Q. This Form 10-Q/A continues to speak as of the original filing date of the Form 10-Q, and does not reflect events that may have occurred subsequent to the original filing date, and does not modify or update any related disclosures made in the Form 10-Q.

**Item 6 - Exhibits**

Exhibit Number

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| 31      | Section 302 Certification Statements.  |
| 32      | Section 906 Certification Statement.   |
| 99.1    | Incorporated by reference to exhibit included in Form 8-K filed on October 21, 2009. |
| 101.INS | XBRL Instance Document   |
| 101.SCH | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document  |
| 101.CAL | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document                                |
| 101.DEF | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document                                 |
| 101.LAB | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase Document                                      |
| 101.PRE | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document                               |

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Signatures

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

DENTSPLY International Inc.

|     |                           |                         |
|-----|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| /s/ | <u>Bret W. Wise</u>       | <u>October 30, 2009</u> |
|     | Bret W. Wise              | Date                    |
|     | Chairman of the Board and |                         |
|     | Chief Executive Officer   |                         |

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|-----|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| /s/ | <u>William R. Jellison</u> | <u>October 30, 2009</u> |
|     | William R. Jellison        | Date                    |
|     | Senior Vice President and  |                         |
|     | Chief Financial Officer    |                         |