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FORM 4

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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 **
Martin Sean

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

BAXTER INTERNATIONAL INC

(Check all applicable)

[BAX]

(Middle)

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

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

ONE BAXTER PARKWAY

02/19/2019

SVP and General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

DEERFIELD, IL 60015

(City)	(State) (Z	e I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or				5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		1	Beneficially Owned	(D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial Ownership	
					(A) or		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
C			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Ilisti: 3 and 4)		
Common Stock, \$1 par value	02/19/2019		A	3,065 (1)	A	\$ 0	27,487	D	
Common Stock, \$1 par value	02/19/2019		A	2,266 (2)	A	\$0	29,753	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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

Martin Sean

ONE BAXTER PARKWAY SVP and General Counsel

DEERFIELD, IL 60015

Signatures

/s/ Sean Martin 02/21/2019 **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).

Represents shares earned from the performance share unit award granted on March 2, 2017 pursuant to the Equity Plan adopted by Baxter as of such date. The award provides that fifty percent of the performance share units are earned based on Baxter's Adjusted Operating Margin (OM) performance, as assessed annually over a three-year period. One-third of the OM performance share units are allocated to each one-year period. The number of shares reported on this Form 4 represents the shares earned based on Baxter's OM, as assessed from January 1, 2018 to December 31, 2018. These shares are scheduled to vest after the end of the relevant three-year performance period (which runs from January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2019).

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