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(Print or Type R	esponses)										
1			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BAXTER INTERNATIONAL INC [BAX]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Mont			3. Date of (Month/Da 08/11/20	-	nsaction			Director       10% Owner         X Officer (give title       Other (specify below)         below)       below)         CVP, International			
				ndment, Date Original hth/Day/Year)				<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check</li> <li>Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> </ul>			
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(City)	(State) (	Zip)	Table	e I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) o l of (D	)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common					mount	(D)	Thee				
Stock, \$1 par value	08/11/2015			A <u>(1)</u>	110	А	\$0	48,137	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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Addre	SS	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Vibert Paul ONE BAXTER PARKWAY DEERFIELD, IL 60015	7		CVP, International					
Signatures								
/s/ Paul Vibert	08/13/2015							
<u>**</u> Signature of	Date							

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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Represents shares earned from the performance share unit award granted on March 4, 2014 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 ROIC performance annually over a three-year period with one-third of the ROIC performance share units allocated to each one-year period. In connection with the spin-off of Baxalta Incorporated from Baxter, the 2015 performance period was adjusted so that the vesting of the second one-third of the ROIC performance share units allocated to each one-year period. In connection with the spin-off of Baxalta Incorporated from Baxter, the 2015 performance period was adjusted so that the vesting of the second one-third of the ROIC performance share units allocated to that year will vest based upon a percentage determined by adding (i) the

(1) one-third of the KOIC performance share thirds anocated to that year win vest based upon a percentage determined by adding (f) the percentage determined by the extent to which Baxter, prior to giving effect to the spin-off, achieves the ROIC performance target for the first six months of 2015, plus (ii) in the case of the reporting person, the percentage determined by the extent to which Baxter, after giving effect to the spin-off, achieves its ROIC performance targets for the last six months of 2015, and dividing such sum by two. The number of shares reported represents the shares earned based on Baxter's ROIC during the performance period of January 1, 2015 to June 30, 2015. These shares vest after the end of the relevant three-year ROIC performance period.

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