BAXTER INTERNATIONAL INC

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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may continue.

See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Schaaf Jill M | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BAXTER INTERNATIONAL INC [BAX] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | |
|---|------------------------------|----------|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) ONE BAXTE | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/03/2016 | Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) | | |
| DEERFIELD, | (Street) DEERFIELD, IL 60015 | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original 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 | | |
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| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tabl | e I - Non-D | erivative | Secur | rities Acq | uired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | ly Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|--------------|------------------|-------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) | | | d of (D) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 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 | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock, \$1 par value | 03/03/2016 | | F | 1,437 (1) | D | \$ 39.33 | 48,212 | D | |
| Common Stock, \$1 par value | 03/04/2016 | | F | 215 (2) | D | \$ 39.46 | 47,997 | D | |
| Common Stock, \$1 par value | | | | | | | 829 | I | By 401(k) Plan |

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) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative 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) | |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 39.33 | 03/03/2016 | | A | 89,419 | <u>(3)</u> | 03/03/2026 | Common Stock, \$1 par value | 89,419 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Schaaf Jill M

ONE BAXTER PARKWAY CVP, Renal DEERFIELD, IL 60015

Signatures

/s/ Jill M. Schaaf 03/07/2016

**Signature of 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 the number of shares forfeited by the reporting person to cover the payment of taxes incurred as a result of partial vesting of restricted stock granted on March 3, 2015.
- (2) Represents the number of shares forfeited by the reporting person to cover the payment of taxes incurred as a result of partial vesting of restricted stock granted on March 4, 2014.
- (3) The option becomes exercisable in three equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of the grant.

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