#### UGGLAS MARGERETHA AF

Form 4

February 02, 2005

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **UGGLAS MARGERETHA AF** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Zip)

**BECTON DICKINSON & CO** [BDX]

(Check all applicable)

01/31/2005

(Middle)

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

Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY, 1 BECTON DRIVE

(First)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X\_ Director

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Reported

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417

(State)

02/01/2005

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Following

Indirect Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount Price (D)

1,200 \$0 A

(1)

12,410 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)

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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 onDerivative 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	Amour or Numbe of Shar
Rights to Common Stock Under 1996 Directors Deferral Plan	<u>(2)</u>	01/31/2005		A	451.67	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	451.6
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 56.15	02/01/2005		A	2,160	02/01/2006(4)	02/01/2015	Common Stock	2,16

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
UGGLAS MARGERETHA AF C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY 1 BECTON DRIVE FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417	X				

## **Signatures**

Patricia Walesiewicz, by power of attorney for Margaretha af Ugglas 02/02/2005

\*\*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) Reflects restricted stock units awarded under the Becton, Dickinson and Company 2004 Employee and Director Equity-Based Compensation Plan.
- (2) The securities convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (3) The securities are distributed following termination of the reporting person's service as a director, or on the date or dates specified by the reporting person.

(4) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on February 1, 2006.

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