HOMBACH ROBERT J.

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement BAXTER INTERNATIONAL INC [BAX] HOMBACH ROBERT J. (Month/Day/Year) 07/05/2010 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) ONE BAXTER PARKWAY (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person DEERFIELD, ÂILÂ 60015 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One Corporate Vice President & CFO Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) **Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned** 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock, \$1 par value 17,131 Common Stock, \$1 par value 2,060 I By 401(k) Plan Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
			Derivative	Security:	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/14/2009	03/14/2017	Common Stock, \$1 par value	12,600	\$ 38.35	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/15/2008	03/15/2017	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,000	\$ 51.21	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/15/2009	03/15/2017	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,000	\$ 51.21	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/15/2010	03/15/2017	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,000	\$ 51.21	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/05/2009	03/05/2018	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,200	\$ 58.12	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/05/2010	03/05/2018	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,200	\$ 58.12	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/05/2011	03/05/2018	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,200	\$ 58.12	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/04/2010	03/04/2019	Common Stock, \$1 par value	5,290	\$ 52.5	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/04/2011	03/04/2019	Common Stock, \$1 par value	5,290	\$ 52.5	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/04/2012	03/04/2019	Common Stock, \$1 par value	5,290	\$ 52.5	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/03/2011	03/03/2020	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,063	\$ 59	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/03/2012	03/03/2020	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,063	\$ 59	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/03/2013	03/03/2020	Common Stock, \$1 par value	6,064	\$ 59	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HOMBACH ROBERT J.

ONE BAXTER PARKWAY Â Â Â Corporate Vice President & CFO Â

DEERFIELD, ILÂ 60015

Signatures

/s/ Robert J.
Hombach

**Signature of Reporting Person

O7/09/2010

Date

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