

BAXTER INTERNATIONAL INC  
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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 JOSEPH B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 BAXTER INTERNATIONAL INC  
 [BAX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 07/21/2008

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

ONE BAXTER PARKWAY

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

DEERFIELD, IL 60015

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, \$1 par value	07/21/2008		M			5,760	A	\$ 32.22	7,787	D	
Common Stock, \$1 par value	07/21/2008		M			1,740	A	\$ 36.8	9,527	D	
Common Stock, \$1 par value	07/21/2008		S			3,600	D	\$ 68.45	5,927	D	
Common Stock, \$1 par value	07/21/2008		S			3,000	D	\$ 68.46	2,927	D	

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par value

Common Stock, \$1 par value	07/21/2008	S	100	D	\$ 68.47	2,827	D	
Common Stock, \$1 par value	07/21/2008	S	400	D	\$ 68.48	2,427	D	
Common Stock, \$1 par value	07/21/2008	S	400	D	\$ 68.52	2,027	D	
Common Stock, \$1 par value						7,888	I	By Trust

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative 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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.22	07/21/2008		M	5,760	05/03/2005 05/02/2014	Common Stock, \$1 par value	5,760
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 36.8	07/21/2008		M	1,740	05/09/2006 05/04/2015	Common Stock, \$1 par value	1,740

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MARTIN JOSEPH B ONE BAXTER PARKWAY DEERFIELD, IL 60015		X		

## Signatures

/s/ John M. O'Connor, Attorney-in-Fact for Joseph B.  
Martin

07/23/2008

        Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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