

BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORP  
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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 \*  
 TAYLOR JAMES H JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORP  
 [(BSX)]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 ONE BOSTON SCIENTIFIC PLACE  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/09/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below) Sr. VP, Operations  
 \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

NATICK, MA 017601537

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(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	02/09/2005		M			12,500	A	\$ 12.5	16,860	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2005		M			25,000	A	\$ 21.255	41,860	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2005		S			20,900	D	\$ 32.85	20,960	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2005		S			3,000	D	\$ 32.9	17,960	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2005		S			4,800	D	\$ 32.91	13,160	D	

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Common Stock	02/09/2005	S	3,800	D	\$ 32.95	9,360	D	
Common Stock						10,807	I	By 401(k) <u>(1)</u>

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)	\$ 12.5	02/09/2005		M	12,500	<u>(2)</u> 12/17/2011	Common Stock	12,500
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.255	02/09/2005		M	25,000	<u>(3)</u> 12/09/2012	Common Stock	25,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
TAYLOR JAMES H JR ONE BOSTON SCIENTIFIC PLACE NATICK, MA 017601537			Sr. VP, Operations	

## Signatures

By: /s/ Lawrence J. Knopf,  
Attorney-in-fact

02/10/2005

          \*\*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) Balance reflects the most current data available with regard to share holdings in the Company's 401(k) Savings Plan.
- (2) Grant to the reporting person of an option to buy a specified number of shares of Common Stock exercisable 25% on December 17, 2002, 50% on December 17, 2003, 75% on December 17, 2004 and 100% on December 17, 2005, the anniversary date of the grant.
- (3) Grant to the reporting person of an option to buy a specified number of shares of Common Stock exercisable 25% on December 9, 2003, 50% on December 9, 2004, 75% on December 9, 2005 and 100% on December 9, 2006, the anniversary date of the grant.

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