

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 *
 GAVIN JAMES R III

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)
 06/03/2016

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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Underlying Securities
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(Instr.)	
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Comp Plan Baxter Common Stock Fund	(1)	06/03/2016	A		1,114		(2)	(2)	Common Stock, \$1 par value	1,114	\$ 43
Deferred Comp Plan Baxter Common Stock Fund	(1)	06/06/2016	A		1,312		(3)	(3)	Common Stock, \$1 par value	1,312	\$ 43

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GAVIN JAMES R III ONE BAXTER PARKWAY DEERFIELD, IL 60015			X	

Signatures

/s/ Ellen K. McIntosh, as attorney-in-fact for James R. Gavin III 06/07/2016

__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) 1 for 1.
- (2) In connection with the June 3, 2016 merger (the "Merger") of a wholly-owned subsidiary of Shire plc with and into Baxalta Incorporated ("Baxalta"), with Baxalta as the surviving company, the reporting person received, or was deemed to receive, cash merger consideration in exchange for Baxalta restricted stock units previously deferred under Baxter's Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan (the "Plan"). A portion of such cash merger consideration was allocated to the Plan's Baxter Common Stock Fund notional investment alternative.
- (3) On June 6, 2016 and in connection with the Merger, the reporting person received, or was deemed to receive, cash merger consideration with respect to investments previously allocated to the Plan's Baxalta Common Stock Fund notional investment alternative. A portion of

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such cash merger consideration was allocated to the Plan's Baxter Common Stock Fund notional investment alternative.

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