VALERIANI NICHOLAS J

Form 4

October 30, 2006

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).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person VALERIANI NICHOLAS J	* 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol JOHNSON & JOHNSON [JNJ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
JOHNSON & JOHNSON, ONE JOHNSON & JOHNSON PLAZA	(Month/Day/Year) 10/29/2006	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Member, Executive Committee		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
NEW BRUNSWICK, NJ 08933		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

								Person		
	(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
S	Title of ecurity nstr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit nAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) o of (D) 5) Price	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
C	ommon	10/29/2006		M	2,000	A	\$ 26 (1)	39,807	D	
C	dommon (2)							8,773	I	401(k) and ESOP Savings Plans
C	ommon							3,146 (3)	I	As custodian for Son under

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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 Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar
Phantom Stock Units (4)	<u>(5)</u>					<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	(
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) (6)	\$ 26 (1)	10/29/2006		М	2,000	12/05/1998(6)	12/04/2006 <u>⁽⁶⁾</u>	Common Stock	2,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	

VALERIANI NICHOLAS J JOHNSON & JOHNSON ONE JOHNSON & JOHNSON PLAZA NEW BRUNSWICK, NJ 08933

Member, Executive Committee

Signatures

Linda E. King, as Attorney-in-Fact for Nicholas J. Valeriani 10/30/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) Adjusted to reflect two-for-one stock split in 2001.
- (2) Shares held under Johnson & Johnson's 401(k) and ESOP Savings Plans as of Plans' most recent reporting date (09/29/2006).
- The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (4) The Phantom Stock Units held under the Issuer's Executive Income Deferral Plan are to be settled in cash upon the Reporting Person's Retirement.
- (5) The Phantom Stock converts into common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (6) Awarded under Issuer's Stock Option Plan and exercisable in increments of 20% per year starting two years from date of grant.

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