BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Form 4 or Form 5

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **DOLAN PETER R** Issuer Symbol **BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO** (Check all applicable) [(BMY)](Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X_ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 345 PARK AVENUE 03/07/2006 Chief Executive Officer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NEW YORK, NY 10154 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	-Derivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie ord Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	d of (D and 5) (A) or))	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)
Common Stock, \$0.10 par value	03/07/2006		Code V	Amount 100,000 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 22.73	559,588	D	
Common Stock, \$0.10 par value	03/07/2006		A	48,214 (<u>2)</u>	A	\$ 22.73	607,802	D	
Common Stock, \$0.10 par value	03/07/2006		F	21,412 (<u>3)</u>	D	\$ 22.73	586,390	D	

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Common Stock, \$0.10 par value	5,264.48 <u>(4)</u>	I	By BMY Savings & Investment Program
Common Stock, \$0.10 par value	14,465.91	I	By Self for Family Trust
Common Stock, \$0.10 par value	14,464.71	I	By Spouse for Family 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed of (I (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	rivative Expiration Date curities (Month/Day/Year) quired (A) or sposed of (D)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (I	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Executive Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.73	03/07/2006		A	500,500	<u>(5)</u>	03/06/2016	Common Stock, \$0.10 par value	500,50

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DOLAN PETER R 345 PARK AVENUE	X		Chief Executive Officer				
NEW YORK NY 10154							

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By: /s/ Sandra Leung, Attorney-in-Fact

03/09/2006

**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) Shares consist of restricted stock with one-third vesting on each of the third, fourth and fifth anniversaries of the grant date.
- (2) Consists of shares earned as long-term performance awards under the 2002 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (3) Shares withheld for payment of taxes.
- (4) Based on a plan statement as of the end of the most recent fiscal quarter.
- Option is not exercisable until the closing share price of common stock achieves a price of at least 15% above the option grant price and remains at that price for seven consecutive trading days. Option vests 25% of the shares annually, on a cumulative basis, commencing one year after the date of grant, but may not be exercised until the threshold is satisfied.

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