

VALERIANI NICHOLAS J
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
VALERIANI NICHOLAS J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

JOHNSON & JOHNSON, ONE
JOHNSON & JOHNSON PLAZA

(Street)

NEW BRUNSWICK, NJ 08933

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
JOHNSON & JOHNSON [JNJ]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/29/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Member, Executive Committee

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

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	10/29/2006		M	2,000	A	\$ 26 (1) 39,807	D	
Common (2)						8,773	I	401(k) and ESOP Savings Plans
Common						3,146 (3)	I	As custodian for Son under UTMA

Explanation of Responses:

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

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- (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).
- (3) 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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