

BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO

Form 4

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**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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1(b).**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 \*  
**HOWSON TAMAR D**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**BRISTOL-MYERS SQUIBB  
COMPANY, RT. 206 &  
PROVINCELINE ROAD**

(Street)

**PRINCETON, NJ 08540**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading  
Symbol**BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO  
[(BMY)]**3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**03/01/2005**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)  
SVP, Corp & Bus Development6. 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$0.10 par value	03/01/2005		A	7,778 (1)	A \$ 0 73,180	D	

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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Executive Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.45	03/01/2005		A	46,667	(2) 02/28/2015	Common Stock, \$0.10 par value 46,667

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
HOWSON TAMAR D BRISTOL-MYERS SQUIBB COMPANY RT. 206 & PROVINCELINE ROAD PRINCETON, NJ 08540	SVP, Corp & Bus Development

## Signatures

By: /s/ Sonia Vora, 03/03/2005  
Attorney-in-Fact

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.

Option is not exercisable until the earlier of (i) the closing share price of common stock achieving a price of at least 15% above the option grant price and remaining at that price for seven consecutive trading days or (ii) the ninth anniversary of the grant date. Shares underlying option vest 25% a year, on a cumulative basis, commencing one year after the date of grant.

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