

BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO

Form 4

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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 *
SIGAL ELLIOT

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO
[(BMY)]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
BRISTOL-MYERS SQUIBB
COMPANY, RT. 206 &
PROVINCELINE ROAD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2005

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
SVP, Global Clin & Pharm Dev

(Street)
PRINCETON, NJ 08540

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

(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 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		F	3,038 (1)	D \$ 0 101,897	D	
Common Stock, \$0.10 par value	03/01/2005		A	17,250 (2)	A \$ 0 119,147	D	
Common Stock,					1,637.53 (3)	I	By BMY Savings &

\$0.10 par
valueInvestment
Program

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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(9-02)**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 of Number of Shares
Executive Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.45	03/01/2005		A		103,500		<u>(4)</u>	02/28/2015	Common Stock, \$0.10 par value	103,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address**Relationships**

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SIGNAL ELLIOT
BRISTOL-MYERS SQUIBB COMPANY
RT. 206 & PROVINCELINE ROAD
PRINCETON, NJ 08540

SVP, Global Clin & Pharm Dev

Signatures

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

03/03/2005

**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 withheld for payment of taxes upon vesting of restricted stock.

(2) Shares consist of restricted stock with one-third vesting on each of the third, fourth and fifth anniversaries of the grant date.

(3) Based on a plan statement as of the end of the most recent fiscal quarter.

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- 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
- (4) 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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