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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SHARER KEVIN W			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMGEN INC [AMGN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE		R DRIVE	(Month/Day/Year) 02/19/2009	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman of the Bd, CEO & Pres		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
THOUSANI)		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

OAKS, CA 91320-1799

(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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		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)		
Common Stock	02/19/2009		S	87,000 I	D	\$ 57.2628 (1)	237,984	I	Living Trust		
Common Stock (2)							37,000	D			
Common Stock							4,326.226 (3)	Ι	By 401(k) Plan		

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title a	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amount	of	Derivative	Deriv
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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securitie	es	(Instr. 5)	Bene
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				Code V	(A) (D)			S	hares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SHARER KEVIN W							
ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE	X		Chairman of the Bd, CEO & Pres				
THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799							

Signatures

/s/ Kevin W.
Sharer

**Signature of Person

Date

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) The sale price is an average sale price with a low of \$56.995 per share and a high of \$57.46 per share. A detailed list of the number of shares sold and the sale price of each share is available upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.
- The Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) were granted pursuant to the Company's Amended and Restated 1991 Equity Incentive Plan. RSUs (2) vest in four equal annual installments of 25% each commencing April 29, 2009. Vested RSUs will be paid in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis unless payment is otherwise deferred by the executive officer.
- (3) These are shares acquired under the Company's 401(k) Plan and represent interests in the Company's stock fund as of this filing. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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