AMGEN INC Form 4 August 08, 2012

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **REASON J PAUL**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

AMGEN INC [AMGN]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

_X__ Director

10% Owner Other (specify

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ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE

(Street)

08/06/2012

Officer (give title below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

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Person

THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 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	08/06/2012		Code V M	Amount 5,000	(D)	Price \$ 62.55	24,408	D	
Common Stock	08/06/2012		M	5,000	A	\$ 42.13	29,408	D	
Common Stock	08/06/2012		M	5,000	A	\$ 50.44	34,408	D	
Common Stock	08/06/2012		M	5,000	A	\$ 58.43	39,408	D	
Common Stock	08/06/2012		M	5,000	A	\$ 54.69	44,408	D	

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Common Stock	08/06/2012	F	3,805	D	\$ 82.21	40,603	D
Common Stock	08/06/2012	F	2,563			38,040	D
Common Stock	08/06/2012	F	3,068	D	\$ 82.21	34,972	D
Common Stock	08/06/2012	F	3,554	D	\$ 82.21	31,418	D
Common Stock	08/06/2012	F	3,327	D	\$ 82.21	28,091 (1)	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number action of Derivative Securities 8. 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
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$ 62.55	08/06/2012		M		5,000	04/26/2007	04/26/2014	Common Stock	5,000
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$ 42.13	08/06/2012		M		5,000	04/29/2008	04/29/2015	Common Stock	5,000
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$ 50.44	08/06/2012		M		5,000	04/28/2009	04/28/2016	Common Stock	5,000
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$ 58.43	08/06/2012		M		5,000	04/26/2010	04/26/2020	Common Stock	5,000
Nqso (Right to	\$ 54.69	08/06/2012		M		5,000	04/25/2011	04/25/2021	Common Stock	5,000

Buy)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

REASON J PAUL
ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE
X
THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799

Signatures

/s/ Andrea Robinson, Attorney-in-Fact for Adm.
Reason 08/08/2012

**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).

These shares include 124 Dividend Equivalents (DEs) granted pursuant to the Amgen Inc. 2009 Director Incentive Program, as amended, under the Amgen Inc. 2009 Equity Incentive Plan and subject to a qualifying dividend reinvestment plan. DEs are credited on the director's unvested, and vested but deferred, Restricted Stock Units and are paid out in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis along with a cash payment for any remaining fractional share amount.

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