#### **GENENTECH INC**

Form 4

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# FORM 4

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DESMOND HELLMANN SUSAN D	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GENENTECH INC [DNA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
	(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
1 DNA WAY	01/12/2007	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) PRESIDENT,			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
SO SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State) (	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	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)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired etion(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	01/12/2007		M	2,196	A	\$ 14.28	3,163	D	
Common Stock	01/12/2007		S	2,196	D	\$ 87	967	D	
Common Stock	01/12/2007		M	1,290	A	\$ 14.28	2,257	D	
Common Stock	01/12/2007		S	1,290	D	\$ 86.99	967	D	
Common Stock	01/12/2007		M	110	A	\$ 14.28	1,077	D	

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Common Stock	01/12/2007	S	110	D	\$ 86.98	967	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	M	200	A	\$ 14.28	1,167	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	S	200	D	\$ 86.97	967	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	M	20	A	\$ 14.28	987	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	S	20	D	\$ 86.95	967	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	M	10	A	\$ 14.28	977	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	S	10	D	\$ 86.93	967	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	M	90	A	\$ 14.28	1,057	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	S	90	D	\$ 86.92	967	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	M	200	A	\$ 14.28	1,167	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	S	200	D	\$ 86.91	967	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	M	10	A	\$ 14.28	977	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	S	10	D	\$ 86.9	967	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	M	20	A	\$ 14.28	987	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	S	20	D	\$ 86.89	967	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	M	190	A	\$ 14.28	1,157	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	S	190	D	\$ 86.88	967	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	M	210	A	\$ 14.28	1,177	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	S	210	D	\$ 86.87	967	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	M	100	A	\$ 14.28	1,067	D
	01/12/2007	S	100	D		967	D

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Common Stock					\$ 86.86		
Common Stock	01/12/2007	M	200	A	\$ 14.28	1,167	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	S	200	D	\$ 86.85	967	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	M	980	A	\$ 14.28	1,947	D
Common Stock	01/12/2007	S	980	D	\$ 86.84	967	D

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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. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	3	ate	7. Title Amount Underly Securit (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)  (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DESMOND HELLMANN SUSAN D 1 DNA WAY PRESIDENT, SO SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080

**Signatures** 

Susan D.

Desmond-Hellmann 01/16/2007

Reporting Owners 3 \*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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