FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BALTIMORE DAVID					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMGEN INC [AMGN]									ationship k all appli Directo	cable)	ng Per	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov		
(Last) ONE AN	,	irst)	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/27/2012									Officer (give title below)		Other (s below)		specify
(Street) THOUS OAKS (City)	C.		91320-179 (Zip)	99	4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
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Date					ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		, Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)			rities Acquired (A) or ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned I Reporte	es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Common Stock 04/27				7/2012	/2012		A		1,395	,395 ⁽¹⁾ A		<mark>0</mark>	30,526			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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	Code (Ins				6. Date Exe Expiration (Month/Day	Date		d 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Sect (Instr. 3 and 4)		D S (I	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	s Blly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$71.64	04/27/2012			A		5,000		04/27/2012	2 04	4/27/2022	Common Stock	5,00		\$71.64	5,000)	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") were granted pursuant to the Amgen Inc. 2009 Director Incentive Program, as amended, under the Amgen Inc. 2009 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Director Program") and vested immediately because the director has three years or more of prior continuous service as a director. Vested RSUs are paid in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis. Vested RSUs may be deferred by the director, in which case, payment will occur according to the elected deferral schedule.

/s/ Andrea Robinson, Attorney- 05/01/2012 in-Fact for Dr. Baltimore

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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).

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