

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>NANULA RICHARD D</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE</u> (Street) <u>THOUSAND OAKS CA 91320-1799</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AMGEN INC [AMGN]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Exe VP Fin, Strat & Comm & CFO</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>05/16/2005</u>	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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 (A) 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	05/16/2005		F		9,149	D	\$62.99	55,851	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2005		M		30,000	A	\$38.36	85,851	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2005		S		6,424	D	\$62.62	79,427	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2005		S		7,357	D	\$62.6	72,070	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2005		S		1,402	D	\$62.69	70,668	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2005		S		7,423	D	\$62.7	63,245	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2005		S		7,578	D	\$62.5995	55,667	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2005		S		4,176	D	\$62.6605	51,491	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2005		S		1,591	D	\$62.7044	49,900	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2005		S		4,900	D	\$62.6996	45,000	D	

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
NQSO (Right to Buy)	\$38.36	05/17/2005		M		30,000		07/01/2003 ⁽¹⁾	07/01/2009	Common Stock	30,000	\$0	87,394	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. (RDN-7/02) The option becomes exercisable for 30,000 shares on July 1, 2003; 30,000 shares on July 1, 2004; 30,000 shares on July 1, 2005; 30,000 shares on July 1, 2006; and 27,394 shares on July 1, 2007.

/s/ Richard D. Nanula 05/17/2005

** 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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