

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <b>MCNAMEE BRIAN M</b>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <b>ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE</b>  (Street) <b>THOUSAND CA 91320-1799</b>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <b>AMGEN INC [ AMGN ]</b>	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) <b>SVP, Human Resources</b>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <b>01/27/2012</b>	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> 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	01/27/2012		M		50,000	A	\$58.61	90,855	D	
Common Stock	01/27/2012		M		41,902	A	\$62.55	132,757	D	
Common Stock	01/27/2012		M		20,000	A	\$42.13	152,757	D	
Common Stock	01/27/2012		M		20,000	A	\$50.44	172,757	D	
Common Stock	01/27/2012		S		131,902	D	\$68.6762 <sup>(1)</sup>	40,855	D	
Common Stock	01/27/2012		S		7,000	D	\$68.7933 <sup>(2)</sup>	33,855 <sup>(3)</sup>	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)
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$58.61	01/27/2012		M		50,000	03/15/2006	03/15/2012	Common Stock 50,000	\$0	0	D	
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$62.55	01/27/2012		M		41,902	04/26/2008	04/26/2014	Common Stock 41,902	\$0	0	D	
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$42.13	01/27/2012		M		20,000	04/29/2009	04/29/2015	Common Stock 20,000	\$0	10,000	D	
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$50.44	01/27/2012		M		20,000	04/28/2010	04/28/2016	Common Stock 20,000	\$0	20,000	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- The price reported is an average price. The prices ranged from \$68.62 to \$68.88 per share. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth above is available upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.
- The price reported is an average price. The prices ranged from \$68.79 to \$68.80 per share. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth above is available upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.
- These shares include the following Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under the Company's equity plans: 2,850 RSUs which fully on 4/29/2012; 2,850 RSUs which vest in two equal annual installments of 1,425 each commencing 4/28/2012; 4,350 RSUs which vest in three equal annual installments of 1,450 each commencing 4/26/2012; and 7,500 RSUs which vest in two equal installments of 2,475 each on 4/25/2013 and 4/25/2014 and one installment of 2,550 on 4/25/2015. Vested RSUs will be paid in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis.

/s/ Brian M. McNamee 01/30/2012

\*\* 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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