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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	ss of Reporting Perso RANKLIN P J		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AMGEN INC</u> [AMGN]		tionship of Reporting Perso all applicable) Director	on(s) to Issuer 10% Owner
(Last) ONE AMGEN ((First) CENTER DRIVE	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/18/2003		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)
(Street) THOUSAND OAKS	CA	91320-1799	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	, ,	ting Person
(City)	(State)	91320-1799 Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Table 1 - 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. Transa Code (8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)		
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		5,000	D	\$58.8	1,116,629(1)	D			
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		5,000	D	\$58.9	1,111,629 ⁽¹⁾	D			
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		5,000	D	\$59.1	1,106,629(1)	D			
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		5,000	D	\$59.19	1,101,629 ⁽¹⁾	D			
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		6,000	D	\$59.2	1,095,629 ⁽¹⁾	D			
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		10,000	D	\$59.25	1,085,629(1)	D			
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		10,000	D	\$59.29	1,075,629(1)	D			
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		15,000	D	\$59.3	1,060,629(1)	D			
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		5,000	D	\$59.36	1,055,629(1)	D			
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		5,000	D	\$59.4	1,050,629(1)	D			
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		5,000	D	\$59.41	1,045,629(1)	D			
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		5,000	D	\$59.426	1,040,629 ⁽¹⁾	D			
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		5,000	D	\$59.45	1,035,629(1)	D			
Common Stock	11/18/2003		S		10,000	D	\$59.475	1,025,629(1)	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)	Execution Date, Transac					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	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. (FPJ 11/17/03) Does not include: (i) 938,816 shares held as indirect ownership by the spouse of the reporting person. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the benficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; (ii) 807,200 shares held by Asset Management Partners ("AMP") for which the reporting person is a general partner; and (iii) 4 units of contractual contingent payment rights held as indirect ownership by AMP arising from the purchase by Amgen Inc. of two Class A interests of Amgen Clinical Partners, L.P.

> /s/ Russel Skibsted By Power of Attorney

<u>11/18/2003</u>

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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