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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BEIER DAVID W						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMGEN INC [AMGN]								Check	all app	olicable)	p Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2011								X	belov	N) .	below)``	
(Street) THOUSA OAKS	AND CA	Λ 5	91320-	-1799	4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(St	ate) (.	Zip)															
		Tabl	e I - N	Non-Deriv	ative	Seci	uritie	s Ac	quir	ed, Di	isposed o	f, or E	Benefici	ially	Owne	ed		u
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/You				.	Execution Date,		·	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acqu Disposed Of (D) (In					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follow Reported		rities ficially d 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		Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(111511.4)
Common Stock 08/15				08/15/20	011				S		15,000	D	\$51.56	47(1)	3	1,902 ⁽²⁾	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)	rivative Conversion Date Execution Date curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		tion Date,		saction le (Instr. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		ative rities ired osed . 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date		eate Year) Expiration	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares				9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The price reported is an average price. The prices ranged from \$51.68 to \$50.18 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.
- 2. These shares include the following Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under the Company's equity plans: 2,850 RSUs which fully vest 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 two 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/ Andrea A. Robinson, 08/15/2011 Attorney-in-Fact for Mr. Beier

** 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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