FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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					or Sec	tion 30(h) of	the In	vestmer	nt Con	npany Act	of 19	940						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  BALTIMORE DAVID						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AMGEN INC [ AMGN ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
														X Dire	ector	10% (	)wner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/05/2008									Offi bel	cer (give title ow)	Other below	(specify	
(Street) THOUSAND OAKS CA 91320-179			99	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	e) <mark>X</mark> For For	lividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
(City)	(State) (Zip)																	
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative S	ecurities	Acq	uired,	Dis	osed o	f, o	r Bene	eficial	ly Owr	ed			
Date				2. Transa Date (Month/D		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				Secu Bene	nount of rities ficially ed 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	Tran	saction(s) r. 3 and 4)		(111501.4)	
Common Stock				12/05/2008				S		100		D	\$57.5	5	42,155	D		
Common Stock				12/05/2008				S		900		D	\$57.4	8	41,255	D		
Common Stock 1:				12/05/2008				S		3,863		D	\$57.4	2 37,392		D		
Common Stock 1				12/05/2008				S		6,000		D	\$57.4	1	31,392	D		
Common Stock 1				12/05/2008				S		2,900		D	\$57.4		28,492	D		
				12/05/2008				S		2,400		D	\$57.3		26,092	D		
Common Stock 12/05/								S		4,837		D	\$57.2	3	21,255	D		
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Derivative Conversion Date Execution Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Transactio Code (Insti		n of E		6. Date Exercis. Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		•	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		5 (	. Price of Perivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

**Explanation of Responses:** 

/s/ David Baltimore

Title

12/08/2008

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Amount or Number

Date

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

Code

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(A) (D)

Date Exercisable Expiration Date

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