## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  JOHNSON FRANKLIN P JR					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AMGEN INC [ AMGN ]								5. Relationsh (Check all ap X Dire	,		to Iss )% Ov				
(Last) ONE AM	(Fi	rst) ( TER DRIVE	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/29/2004								Offi belo	title Other below			specify		
(Street) THOUSA OAKS (City)	C.		91320- (Zip)	1799	4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X 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. Transactio Date (Month/Day/N				Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed Of Code (Instr. 5)		Acquired (A) or f (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an				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	Transacti (Instr. 3 a				(11150.4)		
Common Stock 04/29/2				2004	04			J <sup>(1)</sup>	V	8,000	A	\$0	1,007	1,007,322		D				
Common Stock 04/29				04/29/2	2004	04			J <sup>(1)</sup>	V	v 24,000 D \$		\$0	696,800		I		By Partnership <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock 04/29/200				2004	04			J <sup>(1)</sup>	v	8,000	A	\$0	856,	856,888		I By S		Spouse <sup>(2)</sup>		
	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)	ve Conversion or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) Price of Derivative Security		4. Transa Code ( 8)					ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amount or Number of Title Shares		-	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Owners Form: Direct (I or Indire (I) (Instr	hip D) ect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. (FPJ-04/04-Dist.) On April 29, 2004, Asset Management Partners ("AMP") distributed shares of Amgen Common Stock to the partners of the partnership. Accordingly, 8,000 shares are now held directly by each of the reporting person and his spouse, and 8,000 shares were distributed to the other partners. AMP, of which the reporting person is the general partner, holds 1,007,322 shares of Amgen Common Stock. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held by AMP, and the reporting herein of such securities shall not be construed as an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of any such securities for the purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange of 1934, as amended.

2. (FPJ-04/04-Dist. Spouse) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities indicated, and the reporting herein of such securities shall not be construed as an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of any such securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange of 1934, as amended.

> /s/ Russel Skibsted, by Power 04/29/2004 of Attorney

\*\* 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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