FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Per Odre Steven M	son*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	Statement for Month/Day/Year	6. Relationsh	p of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) One Amgen Center Drive	(Middle)	AMGEN INC. (AMGN)	12/17/2002	_ Director _ X Officer (give			
(Street) Thousand Oaks, CA 91320-1799		3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity	5. If Amendment, Date of Original	Description	Sr VP, Gen Counsel & Secy		
(City) (State)	(Zip)	(voluntary)	(Month/Day/Year)		ividual or Joint/Group ng (Check Applicable Line)		
					by One Reporting Person 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 Acquire (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	d (A) or Disposed Of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Owner-ship Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	A/D	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	12/17/02		М		39,168	А	\$13.0938		D			
Common Stock	12/17/02		S		5,000	D	\$50.58		D			
Common Stock	12/17/02		s		34,168	D	50.51	75,756	D			
Common Stock								4,852	ı	By Odre CRUT		

	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. Transa Code (Insi		Securities		6. Date Exercisable(DE) and Expiration Date(ED) (Month/Day/Year)				8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr.5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr.4)	10. Owner- ship Form of Deriv- ative Securities: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.4)
				Code	٧	А	D	DE	ED	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			(Instr.4)	
NQSO (Right to Buy)	\$13.0938	12/17/02		М			39,168	07/23/98	12/23/04	Common Stock	39,168	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

By:

/s/ Steven M Odre

** Signature of Reporting Person

12/17/02

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).
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