FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FRITZKY EDWARD V						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AMGEN INC</u> [ AMGN ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) ONE AN	(First) (Middle)  IGEN CENTER DR.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/27/2004									X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				· I	
(Street) THOUS	AND C	A	91320-1799				ndmer	nt, Date	of Origin	al File	ed (Month/[	6. Indi Line) X	Form fi	led by One led by Mor	o Filing (Check Applicable e Reporting Person re than One Reporting		n			
(City)	(S	itate)	(Zip)												1 01301					
		Tal	ole I - N	lon-Deri	vativ	e Sec	curiti	ies A	cquire	d, Di	isposed	of, or B	enefic	ially	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transa Date (Month/D		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					and 5) Securities Beneficially Owned Fol		es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	n: Direct r Indirect istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Price			Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock			04/27/	4			М		100,00	0 A	\$9	\$9.98		343,731(1)		D			
Common	Common Stock			04/27/	4			М		80,800	) A	\$22	\$22.08		424,531(1)		D			
Common Stock			04/27/	4			S		10,000	) D	\$59	\$59.56		414,531(1)		D				
Common Stock			04/27/				S		10,000	) D	\$59.	\$59.6875		404,531(1)		D				
Common Stock		04/27/2004				S		10,000	) D	\$59.	\$59.7456		394,531 <sup>(1)</sup>		D					
Common Stock		04/27/				S		20,000	) D	\$5	9.7	374,	,531 <sup>(1)</sup>		D					
Common Stock			04/27/				S		10,000 D		\$5	\$59.5 364		4,531 <sup>(1)</sup>		D				
Common Stock			04/27/	1			S		16,578	16,578 D \$5		.603	3 347,953 <sup>(1)</sup>			D				
Common Stock			04/27/2004				S		25,000	) D	\$59.204		322,953(1)			D				
Common Stock				04/27/	4/27/2004				S		25,000	) D	\$59	\$59.356		297,953 <sup>(1)</sup>		D		
Common Stock			04/27/2004		1		s		25,000 D		\$59	59.502 272		272,953 <sup>(1)</sup>		D				
Common Stock			04/27/2004				S		25,000	) D	\$59.5177		7 247,953 <sup>(1)</sup>		D					
			Table II								posed o				wned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		med	4. Transa Code ( 8)	ction	5. Number of		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		sable and	7. Title an of Securit Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 a	id Amour ties ig e Security	nt 8	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	e Ow s For ully Dir or (I)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shar	er						
NQSO (Right to Buy)	\$9.98								07/15/2002		02/24/2008	Common Stock	100,0	00		0		D		
NQSO (Right to	\$22.08								07/15/20	02	02/22/2009	Common Stock	80,80	00		200,00	00	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

Buy)

1. (EVF-4/27/04) Does not include (i) 528 shares indirectly held by son of reporting person, (ii) 528 shares indirectly held by daughter of reporting person, and (iii) as of December 31, 2003, 5,739.26 shares indirectly held by reporting person's 401(K) plan.

/s/ Edward V. Fritzky

04/27/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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