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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person* Williams R Sanders						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMGEN INC [AMGN]										all app	nship of Reporting P applicable) Director		Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/27/2018										Officer (give title below)			Other (sp below)	
(Street) THOUSA OAKS (City)	C.		91320 (Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Indivi ine) X	•				
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					action	ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 5) 4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			(A) or	nd	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially		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	.	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111501.4)	
Common	Stock			04/27	7/2018	3			A		1,127	(1) A		\$	5,136		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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) 3. Transaction Date (Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				ative rities ired sed . 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Expiration Date Expiration Date Expiration Date Title Share					ount	nt er		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form Direct or Ind (I) (In	t (D) lirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			

Explanation of Responses:

1. The Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) were granted pursuant to the Amgen Inc. 2009 Director Incentive Program, as amended, under the Amgen Inc. Amended and Restated 2009 Equity Incentive Plan and vested immediately. Vested RSUs are paid in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis. Vested RSUs may be deferred by the director, in which case, payment will occur according to the elected deferral schedule.

/s/ R. Sanders Williams 04/30/2018

** 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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