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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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>BIONDI FRANK</u> _____ (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE</u> _____ (Street) <u>THOUSAND CA 91320-1799</u> _____ (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AMGEN INC [ AMGN ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>12/22/2011</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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			
Common Stock	12/22/2011		M		60,000	A	\$55.69	76,676	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2011		F		52,921	D	\$63.14	23,755	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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$55.69	02/27/2011		J <sup>(1)</sup>	V		8,138.73	01/07/2003	01/07/2012	Common Stock	8,138.73	\$55.69	0	I	The Frank J. Biondi, Jr. Annuity Trust No. 19
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$55.69	02/27/2011		J <sup>(1)</sup>	V	8,138.73		01/07/2003	01/07/2012	Common Stock	8,138.73	\$55.69	60,000	D	
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$55.69	12/22/2011		M			60,000	01/07/2003	01/07/2012	Common Stock	60,000	\$0	0	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

1. On February 27, 2011, the Annuity Trust, of which the Reporting Person is a trustee and a beneficiary, distributed to the Reporting Person an annuity payment in the form of an assignment of the stock options held by the Annuity Trust in satisfaction of the Annuity Trust's obligation to make annuity payments to the Reporting Person.

/s/ Frank J. Biondi, Jr.

12/22/2011

\*\* 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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