## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>SCHAEFFER LEONARD D</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AMGEN INC</u> [ AMGN ]									ationship k all appli Directo	,			
(Last) ONE AM	`	rst)	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/29/2008								11	Officer (give title below)		Other (spelow)		
(Street) THOUSA	AND C	<b>A</b> !	91320-1799			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ividual or Joint/Group Filing Form filed by One Repo Form filed by More than Person			orting Perso	n
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curities	s Acq	juired, l	Disp	osed o	of, or Be	nefic	ially	Owned	ı			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D					Execution Date,		Date,	r, Transaction Dispos Code (Instr. 5)			rities Acquired (A) or ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and				es ally Following	Form (D) o	: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Pric	e:e	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Common	mmon Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 04/29/			9/2008	2008		A		2,373	3 A \$		0.00	8,0	8,655		D			
		Т	able II -									, or Ben ble secu			Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date, Transaci Code (In					6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			. Price of Perivative Pecurity 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)
				c	Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er					
NQSO (Right to Buy)	\$42.13	04/29/2008			A		5,000		04/29/2008	04	4/29/2015	Common Stock	5,00	0	\$42.13	5,000		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) were granted pursuant to the Amgen Inc. Director Equity Incentive Program under the company's Amended and Restated 1991 Equity Incentive Plan. RSUs vest (a) immediately for directors who have three years or more of prior continuous service as a director, or (b) one year from the grant date if the director hah had less than three years of prior continuous service as a director. Vested RSUs will be paid in shares of the company's common stock on a one-to-one basis unless payment is otherwise deferred by the director.

/s/ N. Cris Prince, Attorney-in-

**Fact** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

05/01/2008

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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