FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PELHAM JUDITH C						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMGEN INC [AMGN]								Relationship leck all appli X Directo	cable)	g Pers	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov	
(Last) ONE AN	ast) (First) (Middle) NE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/29/2008								(give title		Other (s below)	pecify
(Street) THOUS	HOUSAND CA 91320-1799				4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								e) X Form f Form f	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip)																	
		Tab	le I - No	on-Deri	vativ	e Sec	curit	ies Ac	quired	, Di	sposed c	f, or Be	neficial	ly Owned	l			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day					Execution D				Transaction Di Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		Benefic	es ially Following	Form (D) o	: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(111501. 4)	
Common Stock 10/29/2						08		M		16,000	A	\$28.96	38 28	28,655		D		
Common Stock 10/29/20					/2008)08			S		16,000	D	\$60	12	,655		D	
		-	Table II								posed of, converti			Owned				
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 (8)				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 Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Nqso (Right to	\$28.9688	10/29/2008			M			16,000	01/27/19	999	01/27/2009	Common	16,000	\$0	0		D	

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Judith Pelham

10/29/2008

** 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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