## FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  HOOPER ANTHONY C						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMGEN INC [ AMGN ]									Check	all app	p of Reportin blicable) ctor er (give title	ng Pers	10% C	
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2016										X	belov	v) `	Comm	below) nmercial Ops.	
(Street) THOUSA OAKS (City)	THOUSAND CA 91320-1799 DAKS			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da					action	ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 5)  4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)				(A) 01	or 5. Am 4 and Secu Bene		ount of ties cially I Following	Form:	nership : Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	•	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(1130.4)
Common Stock 03/02						03/02/2016			A		45,26	8	A \$0		0	209,230(1)(2)			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)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  Date (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) 8		Code ( 8)	Transaction Code (Instr. S)  A ((		of Derivative (Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Date Expiration  Date Expiration  Date Expiration  Date Expiration			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of		t		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Oi Fo Di (I)	o. wnership orm: irect (D) r Indirect (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. These shares include the following Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under the Company's equity plans: 2,943 RSUs which vest on 4/27/2016; 2,543 RSUs which vest on 1/28/2017; 3,380 RSUs which vest in two installments of 1,665 and 1,715 on 1/31/2017 and 1/31/2018, respectively; and 4,597 RSUs which vest in two equal installments of 1,517 on 1/30/2018 and one installment of 1,563 on 1/30/2019. Vested RSUs will be paid in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis.
- 2. These shares include 588 Dividend Equivalents (DEs) granted pursuant to the Amgen Inc. 2009 Amended and Restated Equity Incentive Plan and subject to a qualifying dividend reinvestment plan. DEs are credited on the reporting person's unvested RSUs and are paid out in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis according to the vesting schedule, along with a cash payment for any remaining fractional share amount.

/s/ Anthony C. Hooper 03/04/2016

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

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