FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Balachandran Madhavan (Last) (First) (Middle)						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMGEN INC [AMGN] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									k all ap Dire	olicable) ctor er (give title w)	Person(s) to Is 10% C Other below perations	Owner (specify
ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE						01/28/2016										EVI, O	Jerations	
(Street) THOUSAND OAKS CA 91320-1799				799	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip)																	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,					4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A)	or P	rice		ted action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 01/28/2					2016				F		925		D \$	150.47	2	23,353	D	
Common Stock 01/31/2					/2016				F		570		D \$	\$152.73		22,783	D	
Common Stock 01/31/					/2016				G	V	2,727		A	\$0	63,738		I	By Family Trust
Common Stock 01/31/2						2016			G	V	2,727		D	\$0	20,302(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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) 8		4. Transact Code (In: 8)	str.	5. Nur of Deriva Secur Acqui (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr. and 5	ative rities ired ssed 3, 4	Expiration (Month/E			Amount of		r. 3	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction ((Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (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: 855 RSUs which vest on 4/27/2016; 9,056 RSUs which vest in one installment on 7/31/2016; 2,543 RSUs which vest in one installment on 1/28/2017; 3,154 RSUs which vest in one installment of 1,553 on 1/31/2017 and one installment of 1,601 on 1/31/2018; and 3,677 RSUs which vest in two equal installments of 1,213 on 1/30/2017 and 1/30/2018 and one installment of 1,251 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 973 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/ Madhavan Balachandran

02/01/2016

** 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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