Dittrich Thomas J.W. Form 4 May 24, 2013

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Dittrich Thomas J.W.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMGEN INC [AMGN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
ONE AMGEN	CENTER D	PRIVE	(Month/Day/Year) 05/22/2013	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP, Finance & CAO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	Derivativ	e Seci	ırities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		sed of 4 and (A) or	` '	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)
Common Stock	05/22/2013		M	2,000	A	\$ 50.44	18,733	D	
Common Stock	05/22/2013		M	2,150	A	\$ 58.43	20,883	D	
Common Stock	05/22/2013		M	1,980	A	\$ 54.69	22,863	D	
Common Stock	05/22/2013		S	6,130	D	\$ 104.7792	16,733 (2) (3)	D	

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

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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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$ 50.44	05/22/2013		M	2	2,000	04/28/2010	04/28/2016	Common Stock	2,000
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$ 58.43	05/22/2013		M	2	2,150	04/26/2011	04/26/2020	Common Stock	2,150
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$ 54.69	05/22/2013		M	1	,980	04/25/2013	04/25/2021	Common Stock	1,980

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Dittrich Thomas J.W.			VP,				
ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE			Finance &				
THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320			CAO				

Signatures

/s/ Thomas J.W. Dittrich	05/23/2013		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

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- * 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).
- The price reported is an average price. The prices ranged from \$104.7601 to \$104.83 per share. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth above is available upon request by the SEC, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.
 - The shares include the following Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under the Company's equity plans: 308 RSUs which fully vest on 4/26/2014; 1,149 RSUs which vest in annual installments of 566 and 583 on 4/25/2014 and 4/25/2015, respectively; 1,400 RSUs which
- (2) vest in two equal installments of 462 each on 4/27/2014 and 4/27/2015 and one installment of 476 on 4/27/2016; and 942 RSUs which vest in annual installments of 310, 311 and 321 on 4/26/2015, 4/26/2016 and 4/26/2017, respectively. Vested RSUs will be paid in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis.
- These shares include 26 Dividend Equivalents (DEs) granted pursuant to the Amgen Inc. 2009 Equity Incentive Plan, as amended and restated, 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.

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