

MCNAMEE BRIAN M
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MCNAMEE BRIAN M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
AMGEN INC [AMGN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
07/27/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)

SVP, Human Resources

(Street)
THOUSAND
OAKS, CA 91320-1799

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership: Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	07/27/2012		M		1,391 A \$ 71.88	54,680	D
Common Stock	07/27/2012		M		42,109 A \$ 71.88	96,789	D
Common Stock	07/27/2012		M		1,598 A \$ 62.55	98,387	D
Common Stock	07/27/2012		M		10,000 A \$ 42.13	108,387	D
Common Stock	07/27/2012		M		10,000 A \$ 50.44	118,387	D

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Common Stock	07/27/2012		M	20,000	A	\$ 58.43	138,387	D
Common Stock	07/27/2012		S	85,098	D	\$ 82.739 (1)	53,289	D
Common Stock	07/27/2012		S	500	D	\$ 81.872	52,789 (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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities 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
Iso (Right to Buy)	\$ 71.88	07/27/2012		M	1,391	04/03/2010 04/03/2013	Common Stock 1,391
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$ 71.88	07/27/2012		M	42,109	04/03/2007 04/03/2013	Common Stock 42,109
Iso (Right to Buy)	\$ 62.55	07/27/2012		M	1,598	04/26/2011 04/26/2014	Common Stock 1,598
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$ 42.13	07/27/2012		M	10,000	04/29/2009 04/29/2015	Common Stock 10,000
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$ 50.44	07/27/2012		M	10,000	04/28/2010 04/28/2016	Common Stock 10,000
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$ 58.43	07/27/2012		M	20,000	04/26/2011 04/26/2020	Common Stock 20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MCNAMEE BRIAN M ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799			SVP, Human Resources	

Signatures

/s/ Brian M.
McNamee

07/31/2012

Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* 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 \$82.60 to \$82.88 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.

(2) These shares include the following Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under the Company's equity plans: 1,425 RSUs which fully vest on 4/28/2013; 2,900 RSUs which vest in two equal annual installments of 1,450 each commencing 4/26/2013; 22,081 RSUs which fully vest on 12/31/2014; 7,500 RSUs which vest in two equal installments of 2,475 each on 4/25/2013 and 4/25/2014 and one installment of 2,550 on 4/25/2015; and 4,466 RSUs which vest in three installments of 1,473, 1,474 and 1,519 on 4/27/2014, 4/27/2015 and 4/27/2016, respectively. Vested RSUs will be paid in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis.

(3) These shares include 23 Dividend Equivalents (DEs) granted pursuant to the Amgen Inc. 2009 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.

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