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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BIONDI FRANK**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

AMGEN INC [AMGN]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

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

_X__ Director Officer (give title

below)

10% Owner _ Other (specify

ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE

11/29/2012

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

> _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799

(City)	(State)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi coor Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) or	` ′	Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	11/29/2012		M	5,000	A	\$ 74.89	32,833	D	
Common Stock	11/29/2012		S	5,000	D	\$ 88.1024 (1)	27,833 (2)	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			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)	\$ 74.89	11/29/2012		M		5,000	03/15/2006	03/15/2013	Common Stock	5,000

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
F 6	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BIONDI FRANK ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799	X					

Signatures

/s/ Andrea Robinson, Attorney-in-Fact for Mr. Biondi

11/29/2012

**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 \$88.10 to \$88.12 per share. Full information regarding the number of (1) shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth above is available upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.
- These shares include 250 Dividend Equivalents (DEs) granted pursuant to the Amgen Inc. 2009 Director Incentive Program, as amended, under the Amgen Inc. 2009 Equity Incentive Plan and subject to a qualifying dividend reinvestment plan. DEs are credited on the director's unvested, and vested but deferred, Restricted Stock Units and are paid out in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis along with a cash payment for any remaining fractional share amount.

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