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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(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]

Issuer

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

10/31/2008

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title

below) Sr. V.P. Human Resources

ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Perivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	10/31/2008		S	700	D	\$ 61.15	62,105	D	
Common Stock	10/31/2008		S	1,800	D	\$ 61.16	60,305	D	
Common Stock	10/31/2008		S	1,400	D	\$ 61.1	58,905	D	
Common Stock	10/31/2008		S	100	D	\$ 61.11	58,805	D	
Common Stock	10/31/2008		S	100	D	\$ 61.09	58,705	D	

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Common Stock	10/31/2008	S	1,400	D	\$ 61.13	57,305	D
Common Stock	10/31/2008	S	1,000	D	\$ 61.12	56,305	D
Common Stock	10/31/2008	S	3,500	D	\$ 61.14	52,805 (1)	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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relati	onships	
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MCNAMEE BRIAN M			Sr. V.P.	
ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE			Human	
THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799			Resources	

Signatures

Signatures	
/s/ Brian M. McNamee	11/01/2008
**Signature of	Date

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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 amount of the Company's Common Stock beneficially owned at the end of the month and held directly by the reporting person has
- (1) been adjusted to reflect an acquisition of the Company's Common Stock under the 423(b) Plan in a transaction exempt pursuant to rule 16a-3(f)(1)(k)(B).

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