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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading MCNAMEE BRIAN M Issuer Symbol AMGEN INC [AMGN] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE 03/04/2015 below) below) **EVP** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Chec Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
__ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799

(State)

(City)

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securiti	ies Acquire	1 5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction(A) or Disposed of			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership		
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
					(4)	Reported				
					(A)	Transaction(s)				
			C 1 W		or	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
			Code V	Amount	(D) Pric	e				
Common Stock	03/04/2015		A	28,169	A \$0	95,214 (1) (2)	D			

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

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

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	ing es	Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MCNAMEE BRIAN M ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799

EVP

Signatures

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

03/06/2015

**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).

These shares include the following Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under the Company's equity plans: 2,550 RSUs which vest in one installment of 2,550 on 4/25/2015; 2,993 RSUs which vest in two annual installments of 1,474 and 1,519 on 4/27/2015 and 4/27/2016, respectively; 2,975 RSUs which vest in two installments of 1,465 and 1,510 on 1/28/2016 and 1/28/2017, respectively; 7,488

- (1) RSUs which vest in one installment of 3,688 on 10/25/2015 and one installment of 3,800 on 10/25/2016; 4,707 RSUs which vest in two equal installments of 1,553 on 1/31/2016 and 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.
- These shares include 519 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.

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