AMGEN INC Form 4 March 16, 2005

FORM 4

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

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may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE

(Street)

(State)

MORROW GEORGE J

(First)

(Middle)

THOUSAND

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

AMGEN INC [AMGN]

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

03/15/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

below) Exe VP, Global Commercial Ops

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(I)

(Instr. 4)

7. Nature of

Ownership

(9-02)

(Instr. 4)

Indirect

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

5. Amount of

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

OAKS, CA 91320-1799

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

or

Securities Beneficially Owned Following (A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

5. Number of TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities

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(Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4	·)
				Code V	(A) ((D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shar
NQSO (Right to	\$ 58.61	03/15/2005		A	75,000		03/15/2006(1)	03/15/2012	Common	75,00

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

MORROW GEORGE J ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799

Exe VP, Global Commercial Ops

75,000

Stock

Signatures

Buy)

/s/George J 03/16/2005 Morrow

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).
- (1) (03.15.05) The option becomes exercisable annually in four equal installments beginning on March 15, 2006.

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