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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Harper Sean E

AMGEN INC [AMGN]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(Middle) (First)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE

(State)

(Month/Day/Year) 04/22/2015

X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify below)

EVP, Research & Development

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

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

THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799

1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect			
(Instr. 3)	(=======)	any	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial			
()		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(,		- /	Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership		
		•					Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)		
					(4)		Reported	(I)			
					(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)			
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
C						\$					
Common Stock	04/22/2015		S	28,000	D	171.58	47,920 (2) (3)	D			
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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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				~					of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Harper Sean E ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799

EVP, Research & Development

Signatures

/s/ Sean E. 04/22/2015 Harper

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

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in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis.

- ** 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 \$171.52 to \$171.84 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 staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.
 - These shares include the following Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under the Company's equity plans: 2,040 RSUs which vest in one installment of 2,040 on 4/25/2015; 5,799 RSUs which vest in two installments of 2,856 and 2,943 on 4/27/2015 and 4/27/2016, respectively; 5,010 RSUs which vest in one installment of 2,467 on 1/28/2016 and one installment of 2,543 on 1/28/2017; 5,044 RSUs which vest in three installments of 1,664, 1,665 and 1,715 on 1/31/2016, 1/31/2017 and 1/31/2018, respectively; and 3,940 RSUs which vest in two equal installments of 1,300 on 1/30/2017 and 1/30/2018 and one installment of 1,340 on 1/30/2019. Vested RSUs will be paid
- (3) These shares include 677 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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