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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 * RICHO ANNA

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

AMGEN INC [AMGN]

(Check all applicable)

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

Director

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

ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE

05/01/2012

below)

SVP & CCO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Street)

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)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner.							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactionor Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	es Ownership Indirect cially Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4) ed (I) etion(s) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	05/01/2012		M	2,950	A	\$ 42.13	39,431	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2012		F	2,309	D	\$ 71.11	37,122	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2012		G(1) V	641	D	\$ 0	36,481	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2012		G(1) V	641	A	\$ 0	10,256	I	The Nicholas A. Moore and Anna

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								S. Richo Family Trust
Common Stock	05/01/2012	M	10,000	A	\$ 50.44	46,481	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2012	M	10,000	A	\$ 58.43	56,481	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2012	S	10,000	D	\$ 70.7569 (2)	46,481	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2012	S	10,000	D	\$ 70.8002 (3)	36,481 (4) (5)	D	
Common Stock						2,318.9226 (6)	I	401(k) Plan

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of actionDerivative Securities 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	te	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)	\$ 42.13	05/01/2012		M		2,950	04/29/2009	04/29/2015	Common Stock	2,950
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$ 50.44	05/01/2012		M		10,000	04/28/2010	04/28/2016	Common Stock	10,000
Nqso (Right to Buy)	\$ 58.43	05/01/2012		M		10,000	04/26/2011	04/26/2020	Common Stock	10,000

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RICHO ANNA ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799

SVP & CCO

Signatures

/s/ Anna S. 05/02/2012

**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).
- (1) These shares are being transferred to the reporting person's Family Trust.
- The price reported is an average price. The prices ranged from \$70.73 to \$70.78 per share. Full information regarding the number of (2) 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.
- The price reported is also an average price. The prices ranged from \$70.71 to \$70.89 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
 - These shares include the following Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under the Company's equity plans: 1,425 RSUs which fully vest on 4/28/2013; 2,900 RSUs which vest in two equal annual installments of 1,450 each commencing 4/26/2013; 20,000 RSUs which
- (4) fully vest on 10/28/2013; 7,500 RSUs which vest in two equal installments of 2,475 each on 4/25/2013 and 4/25/2014 and one installment of 2,550 on 4/25/2015; and 3,350 RSUs which vest in three installments of 1,105, 1,106 and 1,139 on 4/27/2014, 4/27/2015 and 4/27/2016, respectively. Vested RSUs will be paid in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis.
- (5) These shares include 1,306 shares of common stock acquired under the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (6) These are shares acquired under the Company's 401(k) Plan and represent interests in the Company's stock fund as of this filing.

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