FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGE	S IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Cox John						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOGEN IDEC INC. [BIIB]									eck all a Dii	pplicable) ector		Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) BIOGEN IDEC INC.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2011									he be	iicer (give title low) P Pharmaceu	below tical Oper &	´	
133 BOSTON POST ROAD (Street)				4. If <i>i</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
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(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)															
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,		Code	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. Code (Instr. 5)				Sec Ben Owr	mount of urities eficially led Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code	v	Amount (A) o		A) or D)	Price	Trar	orted saction(s) r. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 02/12/2				2011		F		910 D		D	\$65.8	3 15	5,446.0411	D				
	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 Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			Date,	Transaction Code (Instr. B)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3	. Price o Perivative Security nstr. 5)	ve derivative Securities	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Explanation of Responses:

Aras Lapinskas, Attorney in Fact for John Cox

02/15/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

- * 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).

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