FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  WILLIAMS DOUGLAS E						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOGEN IDEC INC. [ BIIB ]								Relationship neck all appli Directo	cable) or	ng Pers	10% O	
	(I N IDEC IN NEY STR	C.	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2014								helow)	Officer (give title below)  EVP Research		below)	
(Street) CAMBR (City)			02142 (Zip)		_ 4. I	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curit	ies Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed o	of, or Be	eneficia	lly Owne	d			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D					Exe ay/Year) if ar		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		Benefic	es ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(111511.4)
Common Stock 02/01/				/2014	2014		М		5,159	5,159 A		9,	9,730		D			
Common Stock 02/01/			/2014	2014		F		1,969		\$312.	7,761			D				
		1	able II -								osed of converti			/ Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/Y	n Date,	Date, Transact Code (In				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owne Form ly Direct or Ind (I) (In:	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	02/01/2014			M			5,159	(2)		02/01/2015	Common	5,159	\$0	5,157	,	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. There is no conversion or exercise price for this stock unit.
- 2. The number of RSUs reported represents the maximum possible number of shares that are eligible for vesting, which is 150% of the number of shares at target payout. One-fourth of these RSUs are eligible to vest on each of the first four anniversaries of the grant date. The actual number of shares that will vest on each vesting date will be determined by comparing the price of Biogen Idec common stock on such vesting date to the price on the grant date (i.e., number of vested shares = number of shares at target payout times [the average 60 calendar-day closing stock price ending on the vesting date divided by the average 60 calendar-day closing stock price on the grant date]).

/s/ Matthew S. Gilman,

Attorney-in-fact for Douglas E. 02/03/2014

\*\* 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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