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*  SCHNEIER CRAIG ERIC							2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOGEN IDEC INC. [BIIB]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     Director					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 14 CAMBRIDGE CENTER						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/12/2007										X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  EVP, HR, Public Affairs & Comm					
(Street) CAMBRIDGE MA 02142 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)											ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da					ection	ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr.			4. Securit Disposed	ies Acqui	ed (A)	or 5. Amo 4 and 5) Securit Benefic Owned		nt of es ally following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	· v		Amount	(A) (D)	PI	ice	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
Common	Stock			07/12	/2007			M <sup>(1)</sup>			95,782	2 A	,	43.5	114,227.85		D				
Common Stock 07/12/									M <sup>(1)</sup>			13,275	5 A	\$	37.45	127,5	502.85		D		
Common Stock 07/12/									M <sup>(1)</sup>			15,000	0 A	\$	44.24	142,5	502.85		D		
Common Stock 07/12						_			S <sup>(1)</sup>	_		124,05	57 D	\$	54.9 <sup>(2)</sup>	18,4	145.85		D		
Common Stock															4	60			By Spouse		
		-	Table II -									sed of, onvertil				Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	d 4 Date, 1	ransaction		5. No of Deri Sect Acq (A) C Disp of (E	umber vative urities uired		Exer on D	cisa ate	able and	7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Seci (Instr. 3 and 4)		ount	3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	s Silly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able		xpiration ate	Title	or	ount nber res						
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$43.5	07/12/2007		M				95,782	(3)	(3)		2/06/2014	Commor	ommon 95,		(4)	36,250		D		
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$37.45	07/12/2007		M				13,275	(5)	(5)		2/06/2012	Commor	Common 13,		(4)	0		D		
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$44.24 07/12/2007			M <sup>(1)</sup>			15,000	(6)	С		2/06/2016	Commor	nmon 15,		(4)	45,000		D			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Exercise/sale pursuant to a trading plan intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
- 2. This represents the weighted average price for shares sold at a range between \$54.9 (low) and 53.92 (high).
- 3. The stock options become exercisable in four (4) equal annual installments on 12/31/04, 12/31/05, 12/31/06 and 12/31/07.
- $4. \ Granted \ under \ one \ of \ the \ Issuer's \ stock \ option \ plans, \ in \ an \ exempt \ transaction \ under \ SEC \ rule \ 16(b)-3(d).$
- $5. \ The stock option became exercisable in four (4) equal annual installments, commencing one year after the grant date of 12/06/02.$
- 6. The stock option becomes exercisable in four (4) equal annual installments, commencing one year after the grant date of 02/06/06.

## Remarks:

Robert A. Licht, Attorney in fact for Craig F. Schneier

07/13/2007

fact for Craig E. Schneier\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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