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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Nume and Address of Reporting reison		n*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOGEN IDEC INC. [BIIB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
				X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	X	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
14 CAMBRIDGE CENTER		. ,	04/11/2008		CEO & President				
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable			
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		200	D	\$64.4625	686,966	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		100	D	\$64.465	686,866	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		2,800	D	\$64.47	684,066	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		600	D	\$64.475	683,466	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		9,488	D	\$64.48	673,978	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		1,200	D	\$64.485	672,778	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		8,100	D	\$64.49	664,678	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		8,428	D	\$ <mark>64.5</mark>	656,250	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		5,100	D	\$64.51	651,150	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		6,000	D	\$64.52	645,150	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		4,770	D	\$64.53	640,380	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		3,655	D	\$64.54	636,725	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		3,675	D	\$64.55	633,050	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		4,015	D	\$64.56	629,035	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		2,400	D	\$64.57	626,635	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		3,233	D	\$64.58	623,402	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		4,376	D	\$64.59	619,026	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		1,376	D	\$ <u>64.6</u>	617,650	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		800	D	\$64.6 1	616,850	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		2,700	D	\$64.62	614,150	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		3,161	D	\$64.63	610,989	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		2,500	D	\$64.64	608,489	D	ĺ
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		6,280	D	\$64.65	602,209	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		4,239	D	\$64.66	597,970	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		3,600	D	\$64.67	594,370	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		900	D	\$64.68	593,470	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		4,700	D	\$64.69	588,770	D	
Common Stock	04/11/2008		S ⁽¹⁾		3,623	D	\$64.7	585,147	D	
Common Stock								104,708	Ι	2008 GRAT

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								Code V		Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price	<u>п</u>	ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)	
Common Stock															44,252	Ι	2006 GRAT
	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)	if any	emed 4. Transaci Code (In //Day/Year) 8)			ction of		6. Date Exerci Expiration Da (Month/Day/Yo				and ht of ties ying tive ty (Instr. 3	8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. 5	ive derivative y Securities	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

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.

Remarks:

Marcia J. Gookin, Attorney in fact for James C. Mullen

04/15/2008

** 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).

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