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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* DORSA CAROLINE						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOGEN IDEC INC. [BIIB]											olicable)	g Person(s) to	Issuer	
(Last) (First) (Middle) BIOGEN IDEC INC.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/30/2010											Office below	er (give title v)	Othe belo	er (specify w)	
133 BOSTON POST ROAD					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) WESTON MA 02493														X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(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 ay/Year) if any		cution Date,				ties Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Secu Bend		cially d 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	Trans		action(s) 3 and 4)		(IIISti. 4)	
Common Stock (07/30/2010				P ⁽¹⁾		183		A	\$54	4.57		3,066	D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)			Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		nstr. 3			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Purchase pursuant to a trading plan intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Robert A. Licht, Attorney in Fact for Caroline D. Dorsa

08/03/2010

** 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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