DiPietro Kenneth Form 4 February 05, 2013

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DiPietro Kenneth			Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOGEN IDEC INC. [BIIB]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			(Check all applicable)						
			(Month/D	(Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2013					Director 10% Owner Security Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP Human Resources			
	(Street) 4. If Amer			ndment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Mor	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
WESTON, MA 02493												
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - No	n-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or				d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	02/01/2013			Code M	V	Amount 2,151	(D)	Price \$ 0	2,151	D		
Common Stock	02/01/2013			F		711	D	\$ 157.3	1,440	D		

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

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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	02/01/2013		M	2,151	<u>(1)</u>	02/01/2016	Common Stock	2,151
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	02/01/2013		J	312 (2)	(1)	02/01/2016	Common Stock	312

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DiPietro Kenneth C/O BIOGEN IDEC INC. 133 BOSTON POST ROAD WESTON, MA 02493

EVP Human Resources

Signatures

Aras Lapinskas, Attorney in Fact for Kenneth DiPietro

02/05/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
 - 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.
- (1) 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]).
- (2) This represents the difference between the maximum possible number of shares that were eligible for vesting and the actual number that

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