GENENTECH INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Add SCHELLER	*	_	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENENTECH INC [DNA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	()			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
1 DNA WAY			02/27/2008	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
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	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
SO SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficial Code Beneficially (D) or (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 02/27/2008 M 800 A 800 D Stock 53.23 Common 02/27/2008 S 800 D \$77 0 D Stock Common D 02/27/2008 M 50 50 Stock Common S 02/27/2008 50 D Stock Common 02/27/2008 M 125 125 D Stock

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Common Stock	02/27/2008	S	125	D	\$ 76.95	0	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	M	200	A	\$ 53.23	200	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	S	200	D	\$ 76.93	0	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	M	100	A	\$ 53.23	100	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	S	100	D	\$ 76.92	0	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	M	5,200	A	\$ 53.23	5,200	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	S	5,200	D	\$ 76.91	0	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	M	100	A	\$ 53.23	100	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	S	100	D	\$ 76.88	0	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	M	750	A	\$ 53.23	750	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	S	750	D	\$ 76.86	0	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	M	700	A	\$ 53.23	700	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	S	700	D	\$ 76.85	0	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	M	50	A	\$ 53.23	50	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	S	50	D	\$ 76.84	0	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	M	750	A	\$ 53.23	750	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	S	750	D	\$ 76.83	0	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	M	800	A	\$ 53.23	800	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	S	800	D	\$ 76.82	0	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	M	2,088	A	\$ 53.23	2,088	D
	02/27/2008	S	2,088	D		0	D

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Common Stock					\$ 76.81		
Common Stock	02/27/2008	M	415	A	\$ 53.23	415	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	S	415	D	\$ 76.8	0	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	M	200	A	\$ 53.23	200	D
Common Stock	02/27/2008	S	200	D	\$ 76.78	0	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)	4. Transac Code (Instr. 8	5. tionNumber of) Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	S	ate	7. Tit. Amou Under Secur (Instr	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
			Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SCHELLER RICHARD H 1 DNA WAY SO SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080

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Signatures

Richard H.

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**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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