ALEXANDER SUSAN H

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ALEXANDER SUSAN H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOGEN IDEC INC. [BIIB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
BIOGEN IDEC	E INC., 133	BOSTON	05/02/2011	X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
POST ROAD				EVP, General Counsel			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
WESTON, MA	. 02493			_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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)	4. Securities Acquired (A) ror Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	· · ·	
Common Stock	05/02/2011		S <u>(1)</u>	4,124	D	\$ 96.9682 (2) (3)	35,834	D	
Common Stock	05/02/2011		S <u>(1)</u>	2,876	D	\$ 97.5351 (2) (4)	32,958	D	
Common Stock	05/02/2011		S <u>(1)</u>	3,177	D	\$ 96.8994 (2) (3)	29,781	D	
Common Stock	05/02/2011		S(1)	2,816	D	\$ 97.5202	26,965	D	

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					(2) (5)		
Common Stock	05/02/2011	S <u>(1)</u>	5,100	D	\$ 97.0221 (2) (6)	21,865	D
Common Stock	05/02/2011	S(1)	2,900	D	\$ 97.5207 (2) (7)	18,965	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. Transa Code (Instr.		5. inNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	unt 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
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ALEXANDER SUSAN H BIOGEN IDEC INC. 133 BOSTON POST ROAD WESTON, MA 02493

EVP, General Counsel

Signatures

Aras Lapinskas, Attorney in Fact for Susan H.
Alexander
05/03/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- (1) Sale pursuant to a trading plan intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
- (2) Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer.
- (3) This represents the weighed average price for shares sold at a range between \$96.38 (low) and \$97.35 (high).
- (4) This represents the weighed average price for shares sold at a range between \$97.44 (low) and \$97.71 (high).
- (5) This represents the weighed average price for shares sold at a range between \$97.38 (low) and \$97.72 (high).
- (6) This represents the weighed average price for shares sold at a range between \$96.41 (low) and \$97.40 (high).
- (7) This represents the weighed average price for shares sold at a range between \$97.43 (low) and \$97.73 (high).

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