BIOGEN IDEC INC.

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Clancy Paul J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

BIOGEN IDEC INC. [BIIB]

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

BIOGEN IDEC INC., 225 BINNEY

(Middle)

(Zin)

(Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2015

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

STREET

(Street)

(State)

Executive VP and CFO 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

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Person

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

(City)

(City)	(State)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Ionth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				cquired d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/12/2015		M	2,807	A	\$ 0	22,791	D	
Common Stock	02/12/2015		F	1,323	D	\$ 392.11	21,468	D	
Common Stock	02/12/2015		M	1,492	A	\$ 0	22,960	D	
Common Stock	02/12/2015		F	703	D	\$ 392.11	22,257	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	i
(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)	Code	Transaction Derivative		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day)	ate	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	02/12/2015		M		2,807	<u>(1)</u>	02/12/2017	Common Stock	2,807
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	02/12/2015		M		1,492	(2)	02/12/2017	Common Stock	1,492
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	02/12/2015		J		954 (3)	(2)	02/12/2017	Common Stock	954

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Clancy Paul J BIOGEN IDEC INC. 225 BINNEY STREET CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

Executive VP and CFO

Signatures

/s/ Matthew S. Gilman, Attorney in Fact for Paul Clancy

02/17/2015

**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).
- (1) 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. The actual number of shares that will vest on each vesting date will be determined by comparing the price of Biogen Idec common stock

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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]).

- The number of RSUs reported represents the maximum possible number of shares that are eligible for vesting, which is 200% of the number of shares at target payout. One-third of these RSUs are eligible to vest on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date.
- (2) 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 30-day average closing stock price ending on the vesting date divided by the 30-day average closing stock price on the grant date]).
- (3) This represents the difference between the maximum possible number of shares that were eligible for vesting and the actual number that vested.

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