Clancy Paul J Form 4 February 14, 2008

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

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

(Middle)

(First)

14 CAMBRIDGE CENTER

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

BIOGEN IDEC INC. [BIIB]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

02/12/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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Director 10% Owner

X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify below) below) **CFO**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqı	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/12/2008		F	742	D	\$ 60.56	31,131	D	
Common Stock	02/12/2008		A	15,690	A	\$ 0	45,863	D	
Common Stock	02/12/2008		S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 60.94	30,931	D	
Common Stock	02/12/2008		S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 61.29	30,831	D	
Common Stock	02/12/2008		S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 61.25	30,731	D	

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Common Stock	02/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 60.76	30,531	D
Common Stock	02/12/2008	S(1)	100	D	\$ 60.99	30,431	D
Common Stock	02/12/2008	S <u>(1)</u>	200		\$ 60.88		D
Common Stock	02/12/2008	S(1)	58	D	\$ 60.82	30,173	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	ve Expiration Date s (Month/Day/Year) I (A) sed of		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
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 60.56	02/12/2008		A	43,940	(2)	02/11/2018	Common Stock	43,940

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Clancy Paul J						
14 CAMBRIDGE CENTER			CFO			
CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142						
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Signatures

Robert A. Licht, Attorney in Fact for Paul J.
Clancy
02/14/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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) Sale pursuant to a trading plan intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
- (2) The stock options become exercisable in four (4) equal annual installments, commencing one year after the grant date of 02/12/2008.
- (3) Granted under one of the Issuer's stock option plans, in an exempt transaction under SEC Rule 16(b)-3(d).

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