Gilman Michael Form 4 January 03, 2005

## FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF Form 5 obligations

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(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Gilman Michael

> (First) (Middle)

> > (7:m)

14 CAMBRIDGE CENTER

(Ctata)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

### **BIOGEN IDEC INC [BIIB]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/28/2004

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title \_ Other (specify below) EVP - Research

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (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)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/28/2004		M	7,000	A	\$ 44.54	7,000	D	
Common Stock	12/28/2004		S <u>(1)</u>	6,910	D	\$ 67.5	90	D	
Common Stock	12/28/2004		S <u>(1)</u>	90	D	\$ 67.53	0	D	
Common Stock	12/28/2004		M	5,750	A	\$ 45.46	28,750	D	
Common Stock	12/28/2004		S <u>(1)</u>	5,750	D	\$ 67.5	23,000	D	

Common Stock

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out Derivative Securities 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	Amoun or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right-to-buy)	\$ 44.54	12/28/2004		M	7,000	(3)	05/17/2009	Common Stock	7,000
Stock Option (right-to-buy)	\$ 45.46	12/28/2004		M	5,750	<u>(4)</u>	12/15/2010	Common Stock	5,750

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Gilman Michael 14 CAMBRIDGE CENTER CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142			EVP - Research				

# **Signatures**

By: Benjamin S. Harshbarger; For: Michael Gilman 12/31/2004

\*\*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) Granted under one of the Issuer's stock option plans, in an exempt transaction under SEC rule 16(b)-3(d).
- (3) The stock option became exercisable in five (5) equal annual installments, commencing one year after the grant date of 05/17/99.
- (4) The stock option became exercisable in five (5) equal annual installments, commencing one year after the grant date of 12/15/00.

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