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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LEVINSON ARTHUR D			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	(Entok un apprication)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
1 DNA WAY			07/18/2008	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) CHAIRMAN & CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SO SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person 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) any Code Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		(A) or		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (1) (Instr. 4)
Common			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price \$		
Stock	07/18/2008		M	1,700	A	12.13	10,968	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008		S	1,700	D	\$ 80.74	9,268	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008		M	300	A	\$ 12.13	9,568	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008		S	300	D	\$ 80.92	9,268	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008		M	700	A	\$ 12.13	9,968	D

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Common Stock	07/18/2008	S	700	D	\$ 80.88	9,268	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	M	500	A	\$ 12.13	9,768	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	S	500	D	\$ 80.81	9,268	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	M	200	A	\$ 12.13	9,468	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	S	200	D	\$ 80.79	9,268	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	M	600	A	\$ 12.13	9,868	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	S	600	D	\$ 80.78	9,268	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	M	600	A	\$ 12.13	9,868	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	S	600	D	\$ 80.77	9,268	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	M	600	A	\$ 12.13	9,868	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	S	600	D	\$ 80.75	9,268	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	M	1,300	A	\$ 12.13	10,568	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	S	1,300	D	\$ 80.48	9,268	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	M	600	A	\$ 12.13	9,868	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	S	600	D	\$ 80.59	9,268	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	M	1,300	A	\$ 12.13	10,568	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	S	1,300	D	\$ 80.57	9,268	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	M	302	A	\$ 12.13	9,570	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	S	302	D	\$ 80.54	9,268	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	M	800	A	\$ 12.13	10,068	D
	07/18/2008	S	800	D		9,268	D

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Common Stock					\$ 80.53		
Common Stock	07/18/2008	M	800	A	\$ 12.13	10,068	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	S	800	D	\$ 80.52	9,268	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	M	150	A	\$ 12.13	9,418	D
Common Stock	07/18/2008	S	150	D	\$ 80.51	9,268	D

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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. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	:	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	ınt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
• 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
LEVINSON ARTHUR D 1 DNA WAY SO SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080	X		CHAIRMAN & CEO			

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LEVINSON	07/21/2008

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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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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