

LEAMING NANCY

Form 4

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**FORM 4**
**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
LEAMING NANCY

(Last) (First) (Middle)

BIOGEN IDEC INC., 133 BOSTON  
POST ROAD

(Street)

WESTON, MA 02493

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
BIOGEN IDEC INC. [BIIB]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/06/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

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

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V                                                                   | Amount                                                                                                             | (A)<br>or<br>(D)                                                     | Price                                                             |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 01/06/2012                              |                                                             | M <sup>(1)</sup>                     |                                                                     | 3,000                                                                                                              | A                                                                    | \$ 55.97                                                          |
|                                       |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                     |                                                                                                                    |                                                                      | 9,335                                                             |
|                                       |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                     |                                                                                                                    |                                                                      | D                                                                 |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 01/06/2012                              |                                                             | S <sup>(1)</sup>                     |                                                                     | 3,000                                                                                                              | D                                                                    | \$ 116                                                            |
|                                       |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                     |                                                                                                                    |                                                                      | 6,335                                                             |
|                                       |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                     |                                                                                                                    |                                                                      | 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of 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) |                 | 8. Is the Derivative Security (Instr. 3) |                            |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----|---------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
|                                            |                                                        |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V                                                                                       | (A)                                                      | (D) | Date Exercisable                                              | Expiration Date | Title                                    | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 55.97                                               | 01/06/2012                           |                                                    | M <sup>(1)</sup>               |                                                                                         | 3,000                                                    |     | <sup>(2)</sup>                                                | 01/08/2018      | Common Stock                             | 3,000                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                | Relationships |           |         |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|                                                                               | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| LEAMING NANCY<br>BIOGEN IDEC INC.<br>133 BOSTON POST ROAD<br>WESTON, MA 02493 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

Aras Lapinskas, Attorney in Fact for Nancy L. Leaming

01/09/2012

**\*\*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) Exercise/sale pursuant to a trading plan intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934.

(2) The stock options become exercisable in three (3) equal annual installments, commencing one year after the grant date of 01/08/2008.

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