

BIOGEN IDEC INC

Form 4

October 18, 2006

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 *
MATSUI CONNIE

(Last) (First) (Middle)

14 CAMBRIDGE CENTER

(Street)

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/17/2006

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 below) ____ Other (specify below)

EVP, Corp. Strategy and Comm.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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	10/16/2006		M ⁽¹⁾	40,000 A	\$ 7.7188 62,571.11	D	
Common Stock	10/16/2006		S ⁽¹⁾	7,500 D	\$ 45.4322 55,071.11	D	
Common Stock	10/16/2006		S ⁽¹⁾	7,500 D	\$ 45.45 47,571.11	D	
Common Stock	10/16/2006		S ⁽¹⁾	2,500 D	\$ 45.4611 45,071.11	D	
Common Stock	10/16/2006		S ⁽¹⁾	2,500 D	\$ 45.5 42,571.11	D	

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Common Stock	10/16/2006	S ⁽¹⁾	12,500	D	\$ 45.55	30,071.11	D	
Common Stock	10/16/2006	S ⁽¹⁾	5,000	D	\$ 45.577	25,071.11	D	
Common Stock	10/16/2006	S ⁽¹⁾	2,500	D	\$ 45.63	22,571.11	D	
Common Stock						40,766	I	by Trust

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. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	\$ 7.7188	10/16/2006		M ⁽¹⁾	40,000	⁽³⁾ 01/12/2009	Common Stock	40,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

MATSUI CONNIE
14 CAMBRIDGE CENTER
CAMBIRDGE, MA 02142

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

EVP, Corp. Strategy and Comm.

Signatures

by: Daniel S. Char; For: Connie L. Matsui

10/18/2006

 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) 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) Option became exercisable as to 25% of the optioned shares on 1/01/2000 and as to the balance of the shares in 36 equal monthly installments thereafter.

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