

ROBERTS WILLIAM
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
ROBERTS WILLIAM

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
REGENERON
PHARMACEUTICALS INC
[REGN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
VP, Regul Devel & Med Safety

(Last) (First) (Middle)

777 OLD SAW MILL RIVER ROAD

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/17/2008

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

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

TARRYTOWN, NY 10591

(City) (State) (Zip)

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				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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)				
Common Stock	12/12/2008		G	V	2,400	D	\$ 0	66,956	D	
Common Stock	12/12/2008		G	V	1,200	A	\$ 0	1,200	I	by trust for daught
Common Stock	12/12/2008		G	V	1,200	A	\$ 0	1,200	I	by trust for daught
Common Stock								3,127	I	By 401(k) Plan
								8,106	I	by Spouse

Common
Stock

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.8	12/17/2008		A	5,952	<u>(1)</u> 12/17/2018	Common Stock	5,952
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.8	12/17/2008		A	24,048	<u>(1)</u> 12/17/2018	Common Stock	24,048

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROBERTS WILLIAM 777 OLD SAW MILL RIVER ROAD TARRYTOWN, NY 10591			VP, Regul Devel & Med Safety	

Signatures

/s/**William G.
Roberts 12/18/2008

**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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- (1) The stock option award (combined incentive stock option and non-qualified stock option) vests in four equal annual installments, commencing one year after the date of grant.
- (2) Exercisable date, exercise date, exercise price, purchase price, sales price, and/or expiration date is not applicable in this case.

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