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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

STAHL NEIL

Symbol REGENERON

PHARMACEUTICALS INC

[REGN]

Director 10% Owner Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

X_ Officer (give title below)

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

> (Month/Day/Year) 12/17/2008

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

SVP, Research & Devel Sciences

777 OLD SAW MILL RIVER ROAD

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

TARRYTOWN, NY 10591

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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)

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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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.8	12/17/2008		A	5,952	<u>(1)</u>	12/17/2018	Common Stock	5,9
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.8	12/17/2008		A	44,048	<u>(1)</u>	12/17/2018	Common Stock	44,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

STAHL NEIL 777 OLD SAW MILL RIVER ROAD TARRYTOWN, NY 10591

SVP, Research & Devel Sciences

Signatures

/s/**Neil Stahl 12/18/2008

**Signature of 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) 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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