#### MULLEN JAMES C

Form 4

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## FORM 4

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **MULLEN JAMES C** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

**BIOGEN IDEC INC [BIIB]** 

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

11/22/2004

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) CEO & President

14 CAMBRIDGE CENTER

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

#### CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

(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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) our Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common	11/22/2004		Code V	Amount	, ,	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	D	
Stock	11/22/2004		M	4,500	A	\$ 16.9	16,675	D	
Common Stock	11/22/2004		S(1)	1,500	D	\$ 58.67	15,175	D	
Common Stock	11/22/2004		S(1)	1,500	D	\$ 58.8036	13,675	D	
Common Stock	11/22/2004		S(1)	1,500	D	\$ 58.6933	12,175	D	
Common Stock							94,252	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title and A	Amount o
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction of Derivative		Expiration Date		Underlying Securities	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/	Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired				
	Derivative				(A) or				
	Security				Disposed of				
					(D)				
					(Instr. 3, 4,				
					and 5)				
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Number of
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares
Stock Option									
(right-to-buy)	\$ 16.9	11/22/2004		M	4,500	<u>(3)</u>	12/06/2006	Common Stock	4,500

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MULLEN JAMES C 14 CAMBRIDGE CENTER CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142	X		CEO & President				
Signatures							

### Signatures

By: Benjamin S. Harshbarger; For: James C.
Mullen

11/23/2004

\*\*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) The stock option became exercisable in six (6) equal annual installments, commencing one year after the grant date of 12/06/96.

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