

CELGENE CORP /DE/  
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# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
BARER SOL J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O CELGENE CORPORATION, 86 MORRIS AVENUE

(Street)

SUMMIT, NJ 07901

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CELGENE CORP /DE/ [CELG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
05/12/2008

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)

Chief Executive Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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 Ownership Beneficial or Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	05/12/2008		M		135,848 A \$ 35.67	994,336	D
Common Stock	05/12/2008		S		135,848 D \$ 61.8447	858,488	D
Common Stock	05/12/2008		M		420,000 A \$ 1.5	1,278,488	D
Common Stock	05/12/2008		S		420,000 D \$ 61.755	858,488	D
Common Stock	05/12/2008		M		347,280 A \$ 1.375	1,205,768	D

Common Stock 05/12/2008 S 347,280 D \$ 61.755 858,488 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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 35.67	05/12/2008		M	135,848	(1) 12/29/2015	Common Stock 135,848
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.5	05/12/2008		M	420,000	(1) 04/20/2009	Common Stock 420,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.375	05/12/2008		M	347,280	(1) 01/22/2009	Common Stock 347,280

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BARER SOL J C/O CELGENE CORPORATION 86 MORRIS AVENUE SUMMIT, NJ 07901	X		Chief Executive Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ Robert J. Hugin, Attorney-in-Fact 05/13/2008

\_\_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).

- (1) Option is immediately exercisable.
- (2) The option was issued pursuant to the Company's 1998 Stock Incentive Plan.

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