

AGENUS INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
ARMEN GARO H

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
3 FORBES ROAD  
(Street)  
LEXINGTON, MA 02421  
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
AGENUS INC [AGEN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/28/2015

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)  
Chairman & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	12/28/2015		S <sup>(1)</sup>		44,435	D	\$ 4.6165
Common Stock	12/28/2015		S <sup>(1)</sup>		89,917	D	\$ 4.5947
Common Stock	12/29/2015		S <sup>(1)</sup>		85,224	D	\$ 4.5715
Common Stock							220,349
						I	by Trust and Antigenics Holdings <sup>(2)</sup>

Common Stock 12/30/2015 J<sup>(3)</sup> 162,000 D \$ 4.63 1,051,228 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ARMEN GARO H 3 FORBES ROAD LEXINGTON, MA 02421			Chairman & CEO	

## Signatures

Christine M. Klaskin, by Power of Attorney 12/30/2015  
 \*\*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) Dr. Armen executed the sale for tax planning purposes. Dr. Armen intends to use the net proceeds of the sale to purchase Agenus stock during an open window in 2016.
- (2) Dr. Armen is trustee and has investment authority for the Garo Armen 2014 2 Year GRAT holding 216,303 shares of Agenus Inc. common stock. Dr. Armen disclaims beneficial ownership. Dr. Armen is also Chairman of the Board of Managers and a member of Antigenics Holdings LLC ("Holdings") which as of the date of this report owns 4,046 shares of Agenus Inc. common stock. Dr. Armen

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has a pecuniary interest in only a portion of the shares held by Holdings and disclaims beneficial ownership to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

(3) Represents shares donated to a charitable organization.

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