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March 26, 1999

Lisa J. Stolaruk,
Chief, Party/Non-Party Branch
Reports Analysis Division
Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20463

Re: Amgen Inc. Political Action Committee
ID No: C00251876

Dear Ms. Stolaruk:

This responds to your letter of March 15, 1999, regarding late filing of reports.

Please be advised that prior to a letter that we received from the Federal Elections Commission dated July 14, 1998, we were unaware of the quarterly filing requirement that pertained to our PAC. Once we became aware of the requirement, we immediately filed the delinquent reports and have timely filed reports since then. We anticipate that all future reports will be filed on a timely basis.

Sincerely yours,



Michael E. Yurosko
Treasurer



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Michael E. Yurosko, Treasurer
Amgen Inc. Political Action Committee
1 Amgen Center Drive
Thousand Oaks, CA 91320

Identification Number: C00251876

MAR 15 1998

~~Reference: -1997-1998-Election-Cycle-Reports-~~

Dear Mr. Yurosko:

It has come to the attention of the Federal Election Commission ("the Commission") that your committee may have violated 2 U.S.C. §434(a), by failing to timely file Reports of Receipts and Disbursements. The following is a list of the reports in question.

<u>Report Type</u>	<u>Due Date</u>	<u>Date Filed</u>
April Quarterly (1/1/98-3/31/98)	4/15/98	8/03/98
July Quarterly (4/1/98-6/30/98)	7/15/98	8/03/98

Timely filing is a specific requirement of the Federal Election Campaign Act ("the Act") and is essential to fulfilling the public disclosure concept embodied in that law. The Commission views failure to timely file reports as a serious violation of the Act. This communication is to advise you that, notwithstanding any matters which may be pending before the Commission, any additional report which is not submitted in a timely manner by your committee may result in the Commission initiating legal enforcement or audit action.

You may submit a letter of explanation in response to this notification. If, however, you have any questions, please feel free to contact Debbie Chacona on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

Lisa J. Stolaruk

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MS TERRI FADOLLONE
AMGEN INC POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE
1 AMGEN CENTER DR
THOUSAND OAKS CA 91320-1799

July 14, 1998

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00251876

REFERENCE: APRIL QUARTERLY (01/01/1998 - 03/31/1998)

DEAR TREASURER:

IT HAS COME TO THE ATTENTION OF THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION THAT YOU MAY HAVE FAILED TO FILE THE ABOVE REFERENCED REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES AS REQUIRED BY THE FEDERAL ELECTION CAMPAIGN ACT, AS AMENDED. YOU WERE PREVIOUSLY NOTIFIED OF THE DUE DATE FOR THIS REPORT.

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU FILE THIS REPORT IMMEDIATELY WITH THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION, 999 E STREET, N.W., WASHINGTON, D.C., 20463. A COPY OF THE REPORT OR RELEVANT PORTIONS SHOULD ALSO BE FILED WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE OR EQUIVALENT STATE OFFICER.

ALTHOUGH THE COMMISSION MAY INITIATE AN AUDIT OR LEGAL ENFORCEMENT ACTION CONCERNING THIS MATTER, YOUR PROMPT RESPONSE AND A LETTER OF EXPLANATION WILL BE TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER, PLEASE CONTACT Deborah A. Manzano ON OUR TOLL FREE NUMBER (800)424-9530. OUR LOCAL NUMBER IS (202)694-1130.

SINCERELY,

JOHN D. GIBSON
ASSISTANT STAFF DIRECTOR
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