

Whitcup Scott M
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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 *
Whitcup Scott M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ALLERGAN INC [AGN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2525 DUPONT DRIVE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/14/2010

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Executive VP, R&D, CSO

IRVINE, CA 92612

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(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. 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 or Price | | |
| Common Stock | 12/14/2010 | | M | | \$ 15,020 (1) 40.0887 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/14/2010 | | S | | \$ 15,020 (1) 69.4812 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 1,694.7875 (3) | I | By 401(k) |
| Common Stock | | | | | 1,739.0666 (4) | I | By Esop |

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 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 40.0887 | 12/14/2010 | | M | 15,020 | <u>(5)</u> 02/01/2011 | Common Stock 15,020 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|--|--|
| Whitcup Scott M 2525 DUPONT DRIVE IRVINE, CA 92612 | Director 10% Owner Officer Executive VP, R&D, CSO |

Signatures

/s/ Matthew J. Maletta, attorney-in-fact for Scott M. Whitcup

12/15/2010

__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) The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Trading Plan adopted by the reporting person on November 5, 2010.
- (2) Includes shares acquired under the Allergan, Inc. Dividend Reinvestment Plan.
- (3) Shares allocated to reporting person's SIP account as of reporting date.
- (4) Shares allocated to the reporting person's ESOP account as of reporting date.
- (5) The option becomes exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning February 2, 2002.

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