1. Registrant Name  

BIOGEN, IDEC

2. Address  

Address1  801 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW #710  

City  WASHINGTON  

State  DC  

Zip Code  20004  

3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)  

City  

State  

Zip Code  

Country  

4a. Contact Name  

Ms. KATHLEEN WELDON

b. Telephone Number  

(202) 383-1444

c. E-mail  

5. Senate ID#  

48725-12

6. House ID#  

345100000

7. Client Name  

BIOGEN, IDEC

8. Year  

Q1 (1/1 - 3/31)

Q2 (4/1 - 6/30)

Q3 (7/1-9/30)

Q4 (10/1 - 12/31)

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report  

10. Check if this is a Termination Report  

11. No Lobbying Issue Activity  

12. Lobbying  

INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:  

Less than $5,000  

$5,000 or more  

$ Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest $10,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).

13. Organizations  

EXPENSE relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:  

Less than $5,000  

$5,000 or more  

$290,000.00

14. REPORTING  

Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only

Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code

Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature  

Digitally Signed By: Kathleen Weldon

Date  04/20/2009

Printed Name and Title  

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16. Specific lobbying issues

1) Biosimilars, including S 1695(from the 110th Congress), HR 1427, HR 1548, and S 726 -- Support for passage/enactment of legislation to create a pathway for the approval of biosimilars that protects patient safety and innovation.
2) Health care reform -- Support legislative efforts to expand access to health care insurance and protecting innovation.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies

- U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U.S. SENATE
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ADDENDUM for General Lobbying Issue Area: HCR - Health Issues

3) S. 301 -- Advocating for reasonable gift disclosure requirements that provide appropriate transparency and protects proprietary business information.

4) HR 1 -- Comparative Effectiveness Research -- Advocacy in support of comparative effectiveness research used to inform and improve clinical decision making and health outcomes and opposed to using such research for cost containment or denial of coverage.
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CPT Copyright/Patent/Trademark (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues
Patent Reform -- S. 515 and HR 1260 -- Support for modernizing the patent system while ensuring the ongoing strength and value of intellectual property for biotechnology, especially related to damages provisions, inequitable conduct, and post-grant/second window.

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16. Specific lobbying issues

Advocacy for appropriate reimbursement and payment rates for biologics under the Medicare and Medicaid programs.

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HR 1 -- Repatriation, deferral and R&D credit issues

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