WELCH DANIEL G Form 4

May 24, 2011

FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

if no longer STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to **SECURITIES** Section 16. Form 4 or

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1(b).

(Last)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

WELCH DANIEL G

(First) (Middle)

21823 30TH DRIVE SE

(Street)

BOTHELL, WA 98021

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

SEATTLE GENETICS INC /WA [SGEN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

5. Amount of

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Month/Day/Year)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership Form: Direct (I) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial

> Ownership (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amour 4. Derivative Conversion **Transaction**Derivative **Expiration Date Underlying Securit** (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) Security or Exercise Securities any

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.02	05/20/2011		A		17,500		<u>(1)</u>	05/19/2021	Common Stock	17,5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
r g	Director	10% Owner	Officer Othe					
WELCH DANIEL G								
21823 30TH DRIVE SE	X							
BOTHELL, WA 98021								

Signatures

By: Daniel G. Welch For: Todd E. Simpson 05/24/2011

**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 option shall vest in full on May 19, 2012.

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