

HATSOPOULOS JOHN  
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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 \*  
**HATSOPOULOS JOHN**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**ANTIGENICS INC /DE/ [AGEN]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**85 FIRST AVENUE**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
**04/01/2009**

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

**WALTHAM, MA 02451**

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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of	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	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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Derivative Security	(D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date	Expiration	Title	Amount of
						Exercisable	Date		Number of Shares
Deferred Shares <sup>(1)</sup>	<u>(1)</u>					04/01/2009			
		A		21,163.265		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	21,163.2

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HATSOPOULOS JOHN 85 FIRST AVENUE WALTHAM, MA 02451	X			

## Signatures

Christine M. Klaskin, by Power of Attorney 04/03/2009

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) Acquired under the Antigenics Inc. Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan. Deferred Shares represent an equal amount of shares of the Company's common stock to be distributed with the terms of the Plan, typically once the director ceases to be a director of the Company.

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