

SEATTLE GENETICS INC /WA  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
**HIMES VAUGHN B**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**SEATTLE GENETICS INC /WA [SGEN]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 21823 30TH DRIVE SE  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/18/2015

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 EVP, Proc Svcs & Tech Ops

BOTHELL, WA 98021

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 (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price                             |
| Common Stock                    | 12/18/2015                           |  | M                              |   | 3,000   | A  | \$ 12                             |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   | 79,212  | (1)  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 12/18/2015                           |  | M                              |   | 32,036  | A  | \$ 9.23                           |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   | 111,248   | (1)  | D                                 |

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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)      | \$ 9.23  | 12/18/2015                           |  | M                              | 32,036  | <sup>(2)</sup> 04/30/2019                                | Common Stock  | 32,036                     |
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)      | \$ 12  | 12/18/2015                           |  | M                              | 3,000   | <sup>(3)</sup> 08/27/2020                                | Common Stock  | 3,000                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                             | Relationships |           |                           |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                   | Other |
| HIMES VAUGHN B<br>21823 30TH DRIVE SE<br>BOTHELL, WA 98021 |               |           | EVP, Proc Svcs & Tech Ops |       |

## Signatures

Vaughn B. Himes  
12/21/2015  
Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## 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) Amount of securities beneficially owned following reported transactions includes restricted stock units subject to vesting.
- (2) Shares vested at a rate of 25% on 4/1/10 and monthly thereafter until all the shares were fully vested on 4/1/13.
- (3) Shares vested at a rate of 25% on 8/27/11 and monthly thereafter until all the shares were fully vested on 8/27/14.

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