FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INCYTE CORP [INCY]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
<u>FRIEDMAN PAUL A</u>					1	internal control intern										X	Direc	ctor		10% C	wner			
(Last) (First) (Middle)						3 D	Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)										X	Office	er (give title v)		Other (below)	specify		
EXPERIMENTAL STATION							03/03/2009											Chief Executive Officer						
ROUTE 141 & HENRY CLAY ROAD																								
(Street)						4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)											Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
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(City)		(State	2) (2	Zip)																				
			Table	e I - Nor	-Deriv	ative	Se	cur	ritie	s Acc	quired	Dis	posed o	f, oı	r Ben	efici	ally	Owne	ed					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Exe ay/Year) if a			A. Deemed Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securit Disposed 5)		ties Acquired (A) I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Secu Bene Own		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
										Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Pric	е	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(IIISU. 4)			
Common Stock 03/03/							2009 (03/03/2009		P		11,16	0	A	A \$2.		2 225,725			D			
Common Stock 03/05/							/2009 (03/05/2009		P		8,840)	A	\$2.2		234,565			D			
	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	on D se (N	. Transaction late Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		1 of			6. Date E Expiration (Month/I	on Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4)			Deri Seci	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Paul A. Friedman

03/05/2009

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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