FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* TISCH JAMES S						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INCYTE CORP [INCY]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner							
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O TISCH FAMILY INTERESTS							Earlies 04	st Trans	saction ((Montl	n/Day/Year)			er (give title			(specify					
667 MADISON AVENUE							If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable						
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10021																X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(St	ate) (.	Zip)																			
		Tabl	e I - N	on-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	d, Di	sposed o	f, or E	Benefi	ciall	y Owne	ed						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr 5)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
										v	Amount	(A) or (D) Prio		е	Transact (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(111501. 4)			
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ 08/12/20						04		P		255,750 ⁽²	2) A	. \$5	5.5	i 1,216,661.25 ⁽³			T I	See Footnote ⁽³⁾				
Common										117,592			D									
		Та	ble II								osed of, convertib				Owned							
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	ative Conversion Date Execution Date, ity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			4. Transa Code (8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Exercisable Expiration Date			7. Title Amou Securi Under Deriva Securi and 4)	nt of ties ying	t		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)				

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Because of certain family relationships with other shareholders of the Issuer, the Reporting Person is filing solely for informational purposes as if he were a member of a group with such shareholders. However, the Reporting Person disclaims that he and any other person or persons in fact constitute a "group" for purposes of Section 13(d)(3) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or Rule 13d-5 thereunder or that he is the beneficial owner of, or has a pecuniary interest in, any securities owned by any other person.
- $2. \ Includes \ one \ quarter \ of \ a \ total \ of \ 1,023,000 \ shares \ purchased \ by \ a \ partnership \ in \ which \ the \ Reporting \ Person \ has \ a \ one \ quarter \ interest.$
- 3. Includes 272,033 shares owned by trusts of which the Reporting Person is a trustee and beneficiary and one quarter of a total of 3,778,513 shares owned by a partnership in which the Reporting Person has a one quarter interest.

<u>/s/ James S. Tisch</u> <u>08/13/2004</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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).

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