FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAL	. OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>GRAZIANO CHANE</u>				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HARVARD BIOSCIENCE INC [HBIO]					(Che	S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director X 10% Owner					
				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/25/2004						X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chief Executive Officer					
(Street) HOLLIS (City)			01746 (Zip)	4	If Ame	endment, [Oate o	of Original File	ed (Month/Da	uy/Year)	6. In Line	Form fil	oint/Group Fili ed by One Re ed by More th	porting Perso	n
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date				. Transacti	Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) Transaction Code (Instr. 3, 4			ed (A) or	r 5. Amount of 6. Ownership		rm: Direct or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial			
				<u> </u>				Amount	(A) o (D)	Price	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	on(s)	(instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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 Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code	ansaction Derivative Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	10. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec: (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	5)	
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$8.789	03/25/2004		A		200,000		(1)	03/25/2014	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	200,000	\$8.789	200,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The shares vest in four equal installments on each of the four anniversaries of the option grant beginning on January 1, 2005.

<u>/s/ Susan M. Luscinski</u> <u>03/29/2004</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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