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* <u>UVEGES GEORGE</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HARVARD BIOSCIENCE INC [HBIO]										heck all	nship of Reportir applicable) pirector			on(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 207 WILLOW BROOK DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2017											Officer (give title elow)		Other below)	(specify	
(Street) WAYLAND MA 01778-5124 (City) (State) (Zip)				24	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										ne) <mark>X</mark> F F	lividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
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Common	Stock			01/03/	2017			A		22,300(1)		A \$0.00		133,420 ⁽²⁾		D				
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code (I 8)		ı of	ative rities ired osed . 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4) Amou or Numb of Title Share		ount	8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5	ve derivative Securities	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	n: ct (D) direct	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents a deferred stock award of 22,300 restricted stock units which vest quarterly in equal installments on March 31, 2017, June 30, 2017, September 30, 2017 and December 31, 2017, and are subject to continued service as a non-employee director on the applicable vesting dates. These retainer awards are granted in lieu and satisfaction of the annual cash retainer compensation to be earned by the director for his service on the Issuer's Board of Directors and its Committees during 2017. The number of shares of common stock subject to such retainer award is equal to the amount of cash that would have been received had the retainers all been paid in cash, divided by the average daily closing market price of the Issuer's common stock for the month of November, rounded to the nearest 100 shares.
- 2. Includes (a) a deferred stock award of 22,300 restricted stock units which vest quarterly in equal installments on March 31, 2017, June 30, 2017, September 30, 2017 and December 31, 2017; (b) a deferred stock award of 25,300 restricted stock units which fully vest on the earlier of (i) the date of the Issuer's next Annual Meeting of Stockholders after July 1, 2016, immediately prior to the commencement of such meeting, and (ii) July 1, 2017; and (c) 85,820 shares of common stock held by the Reporting Person.

Remarks:

This form has been signed under power of attorney.

/s/ Chad Porter, by power of

01/04/2017

** Signature of Reporting Person Da

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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