## FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  LOY BERTRAND					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol HARVARD BIOSCIENCE INC [ HBIO ]											o of Reportin blicable) ctor		suer			
	RVARD BI	OSCIENCE, INC	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/23/2019										Office	er (give title v)		Other (specify below)		
84 OCTOBER HILL RD.					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) HOLLISTON MA 01746														X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person							
(City)	(S	tate) (	Zip)																		
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
Date				2. Transa Date (Month/I		Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)			ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and S B		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s)				(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 0					05/23/2019				A		35,100	) <sup>(1)</sup> A		\$ <del>0</del> .	00	184,950(2)		D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	n Date,	Date, Transaction				6. Date Exercisabl Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		e	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr and 4)			Deri Secu	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(D) irect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code		v			Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	or Nun of	nber	er						

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents a deferred stock award of 35,100 restricted stock units which fully vest on the earlier to occur of (i) the date of the Issuer's next Annual Meeting of Stockholders after May 16, 2019, immediately prior to the commencement of such meeting, and (ii) May 23, 2020.
- 2. Includes (a) deferred stock award of 35,100 restricted stock units which fully vest on the earlier of (i) the date of the Issuer's next Annual Meeting of Stockholders after May 16, 2019, immediately prior to The Commencement of such want of 10) May 23, 2020; (b) a deferred stock award of 10,500 restricted stock units which vest quarterly in equal installments on June 30, 2019, September 30, 2019 and December 31, 2019; and (c) 139,350 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 attornev

05/24/2019

\*\* 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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