

HARVARD BIOSCIENCE INC  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 LEWIS EARL R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 HARVARD BIOSCIENCE INC  
 [HBIO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

87 PINCKNEY STREET

11/06/2014

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

BOSTON, MA 02114

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price                             |
| Common Stock                    | 11/06/2014                           |  | M                              |   | 15,016  | A  | \$ 3.64                           |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 244,264 <sup>(1)</sup>            |
| Common Stock                    | 11/06/2014                           |  | M                              |   | 3,293   | A  | \$ 3.41                           |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 247,557 <sup>(2)</sup>            |
| Common Stock                    | 11/06/2014                           |  | M                              |   | 3,294   | A  | \$ 3.01                           |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 250,851 <sup>(3)</sup>            |
| Common Stock                    | 11/06/2014                           |  | M                              |   | 14,143  | A  | \$ 2.56                           |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 264,994 <sup>(4)</sup>            |

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

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**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 (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock option (right to buy)                | \$ 3.64  | 11/06/2014                           |  | M                              | 15,016<br>(5)   | (6) 05/31/2023   | Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share                      | 15,016                        |
| Stock option (right to buy)                | \$ 3.41  | 11/06/2014                           |  | M                              | 3,293<br>(5)  | (7) 05/22/2018   | Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share                      | 3,293                         |
| Stock option (right to buy)                | \$ 3.01  | 11/06/2014                           |  | M                              | 3,294<br>(5)  | (8) 05/25/2016   | Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share                      | 3,294                         |
| Stock option (right to buy)                | \$ 2.56  | 11/06/2014                           |  | M                              | 14,143<br>(5)   | (9) 06/01/2022   | Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share                      | 14,143                        |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                         | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| LEWIS EARL R<br>87 PINCKNEY STREET<br>BOSTON, MA 02114 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

Earl R. Lewis

11/06/2014

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) Includes (a) a deferred stock award of 19,400 restricted stock units which shall fully vest on May 30, 2015; (b) a deferred stock award of 3,688 restricted stock units which shall fully vest on June 1, 2015; and (c) 221,176 shares of common stock held by the Reporting Person.
- (2) Includes (a) a deferred stock award of 19,400 restricted stock units which shall fully vest on May 30, 2015; (b) a deferred stock award of 3,688 restricted stock units which shall fully vest on June 1, 2015; and (c) 224,469 shares of common stock held by the Reporting Person.
- (3) Includes (a) a deferred stock award of 19,400 restricted stock units which shall fully vest on May 30, 2015; (b) a deferred stock award of 3,688 restricted stock units which shall fully vest on June 1, 2015; and (c) 227,763 shares of common stock held by the Reporting Person.
- (4) Includes (a) a deferred stock award of 19,400 restricted stock units which shall fully vest on May 30, 2015; (b) a deferred stock award of 3,688 restricted stock units which shall fully vest on June 1, 2015; and (c) 241,906 shares of common stock held by the Reporting Person.
- (5) Represents exercise of stock options granted pursuant to the Issuer's 2000 Stock Option and Incentive Plan, as amended.
- (6) The options vested in one installment on May 31, 2014.
- (7) The options vested in three equal installments on May 22, 2009, 2010 and 2011.
- (8) The options vested in three equal installments on May 25, 2007, 2008 and 2009.
- (9) The options vest in three equal installments on June 1, 2013, 2014 and 2015.

### Remarks:

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