

Tobia Alfred Victor Jr.  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Tobia Alfred Victor Jr.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
ACACIA RESEARCH CORP  
[ACTG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
767 3RD AVENUE, 15TH FLOOR  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/07/2018

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

NEW YORK, NY 10017

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

(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)	(A) or (D)	5. Amount or Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/07/2018		P	2,103	A	\$ 3.0022	245,631	I	By Sidus Investment Management, LLC <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock							183,303	I	By Sidus Investment Partners, L.P. <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock	12/07/2018		P	5,223	A	\$ 3.0022	528,986	I	By Sidus Double Alpha Fund, L.P. <sup>(3)</sup>

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Common Stock 12/07/2018 P 2,328 A \$ 3.0022 242,080 I

By Sidus Double Alpha Fund, Ltd. (4)

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)

Table with 10 columns: 1. Title of Derivative Security, 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security, 3. Transaction Date, 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any, 4. Transaction Code, 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D), 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date, 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities, 8. Price of Derivative Security, 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned. Includes sub-headers for Date Exercisable, Expiration Date, Title, and Amount or Number of Shares.

Reporting Owners

Table with columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships (Director, 10% Owner, Officer, Other). Entry for Tobia Alfred Victor Jr. with an 'X' in the 10% Owner column.

Signatures

Alfred Victor 02/13/2019
Tobia Jr.

\*\*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) Shares of common stock held in an account for which Sidus Investment Management, LLC ("Sidus Management") serves as a sub-advisor (the "Managed Account"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a managing member of Sidus

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Management, the sub-advisor to the Managed Account, may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of common stock directly held in the Managed Account for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended ("Section 16"). The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares of common stock except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

- (2) Shares of common stock owned directly by Sidus Investment Partners, L.P. ("Sidus Partners"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a managing member of Sidus Management, the investment manager of Sidus Partners, may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of common stock directly held by Sidus Partners for purposes of Section 16. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares of common stock except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

- (3) Shares of common stock owned directly by Sidus Double Alpha Fund, L.P. ("Sidus Double Alpha"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a managing member of Sidus Management, the investment manager of Sidus Double Alpha, may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of common stock directly held by Sidus Double Alpha for purposes of Section 16. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares of common stock except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

- (4) Shares of common stock owned directly by Sidus Double Alpha Fund, Ltd. ("Sidus Double Alpha Offshore"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a managing member of Sidus Management, the investment manager of Sidus Double Alpha Offshore, may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of common stock directly held by Sidus Double Alpha Offshore for purposes of Section 16. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares of common stock except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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