

Loewald Thomas W
Form 4
November 01, 2017

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Loewald Thomas W

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)
84 OCTOBER HILL RD.
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/30/2017

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

HOLLISTON, MA 01746

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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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)	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)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock	11/01/2017		A		2,300 (1)	\$ 0	2,300 (2) D

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)

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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. 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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.33	10/30/2017		A		87,600		<u>(3)</u>	10/30/2027	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	87,600

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Loewald Thomas W 84 OCTOBER HILL RD. HOLLISTON, MA 01746	X

Signatures

/s/ Chad Porter, by power of attorney

11/01/2017

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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Represents a deferred stock award of 2,300 restricted stock units which vests on December 31, 2017. This retainer award was granted in lieu and satisfaction of the annual cash retainer compensation to be earned by the director for his service on the board and a committee of

(1) the Issuer's Board of Directors 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 applicable retainer all been paid in cash, divided by the average daily closing market price of the Issuer's common stock for the month of August, rounded to the nearest 100 shares.

(2) Includes a deferred stock award of 2,300 restricted stock units which vests on December 31, 2017.

(3) The options vest in three equal installments on October 30, 2018, 2019 and 2020.

Remarks:

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