Sun Yong
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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Sun Yong

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O HARVARD BIOSCIENCE, INC., 84 OCTOBER HILL ROAD

(Street)

HOLLISTON, MA 01746

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/08/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_____ Director _____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
VP - Commercial Operations

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

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	03/08/2018		A		8,888	A	$ 0	207,397 (1)	D	
Common Stock	03/08/2018		F		2,539 (2)	D	$ 4.5	204,858 (3)	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)

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Sun Yong C/O HARVARD BIOSCIENCE, INC. 84 OCTOBER HILL ROAD HOLLISTON, MA 01746			VP - Commercial Operations	

Signatures

/s/ Chad Porter, under power of attorney	03/12/2018
**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 81,847 restricted stock units which shall vest in three equal installments on January 1, 2019, 2020 and 2021; (b) a deferred stock award of 44,503 restricted stock units which shall vest in two equal installments on January 1, 2019 and 2020; (c) a deferred stock award of 4,306 restricted stock units which shall vest in full on January 1, 2019; (d) a deferred stock award of 14,058 restricted stock units with performance based vesting conditions, which shall vest on August 3, 2018 contingent upon achievement of a performance condition tied to relative total shareholder return; and (e) 62,683 shares of common stock held by the Reporting Person.

(2) The shares were disposed to satisfy the Reporting Person's tax withholding obligation in connection with unrestricted stock award granted on March 8, 2018.

(3) Includes (a) a deferred stock award of 81,847 restricted stock units which shall vest in three equal installments on January 1, 2019, 2020 and 2021; (b) a deferred stock award of 44,503 restricted stock units which shall vest in two equal installments on January 1, 2019 and 2020; (c) a deferred stock award of 4,306 restricted stock units which shall vest in full on January 1, 2019; (d) a deferred stock award of 14,058 restricted stock units with performance based vesting conditions, which shall vest on August 3, 2018 contingent upon achievement of a performance condition tied to relative total shareholder return; and (e) 60,144 shares of common stock held by the Reporting Person.

Remarks:

This form has been signed under power of attorney.

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