COWARD D SCOTT

Form 4 March 12, 2019

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * COWARD D SCOTT			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EXACT SCIENCES CORP [EXAS]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	(First) T SCIENCES I CHARMANY	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/09/2019			ZAAJ	(Check all applicable)  Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Chief Administrative Officer				
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			al		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
MADISON, WI 53719								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	r) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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	03/09/2019			M	6,025 (1)	A	\$ 0	105,870	D		
Common Stock	03/11/2019			S	2,774 (2)	D	\$ 87.212	103,096 (3)	D		
Common								3 882	ī	Held in	

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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>	03/09/2019		M	6,025	(5)	(5)	Common Stock	6,025	\$

## **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships		
Reporting Owner Name / Address	*		

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

COWARD D SCOTT C/O EXACT SCIENCES CORP. 441 CHARMANY DRIVE MADISON, WI 53719

Chief Administrative Officer

### **Signatures**

/s/ D. Scott Coward by Mark R. Busch, attorney-in-fact

03/12/2019

Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

# **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) Represents shares of common stock received upon vesting of a restricted stock unit award.
- (2) Represents shares sold pursuant to a Sell-to-Cover Rule 10b5-1 Plan to pay withholding taxes due in connection with the vesting of certain restricted stock units on March 9, 2019.
- In addition to the shares of Common Stock reported on this Form 4, which total 106,978 shares, Mr. Coward also holds, in the aggregate, an additional 250,212 vested and unvested options to purchase shares of Common Stock and restricted stock units, with each restricted stock unit representing a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock.
- (4) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.
- (5) Represents a restricted stock unit award granted on March 9, 2015 that partially vested on March 9, 2019. The restricted stock units vest in four equal annual installments beginning on March 9, 2016.

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