#### **EXACT SCIENCES CORP**

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### FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

COWARD D SCOTT			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading  Symbol					ng	Issuer			
	EXAC	EXACT SCIENCES CORP [EXAS]						(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction						(20000000, 14,000000)			
C/O EXAC CORP., 441	(Month/Day/Year) 06/30/2017						Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  SVP and General Counsel					
	4. If Ame	endment	, Da	te Origina	l		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check					
MADISON	Filed(Month/Day/Year)						Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tah	la I - No	n-D	orivotivo	Socur	ities Aco	uired, Disposed o	f or Reneficie	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye		3. 4. Sec f Transaction(A) o Code (Instr r) (Instr. 8)			ities Acquired bisposed of (D) , 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)		
Common Stock	05/01/2017			Code A	V V	Amount 3,668 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 5.95	57,603	D		
Common Stock	06/30/2017			M		4,687 (2)	A	\$ 0	62,290	D		
Common Stock	07/03/2017			S		1,987 (3)	D	\$ 35.21	60,303	D		
Common Stock									3,363	I	Held in 401(K) Account	

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number some 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. P Deri Seci (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>	06/30/2017		M	4,687	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	4,687	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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

SVP and General Counsel

#### **Signatures**

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

07/05/2017

\*\*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) Represents shares of common stock purchased through Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (2) Represents shares of common stock received upon vesting of a restricted stock unit award.
- (3) Represents shares of common stock 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 June 30, 2017.

(4) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.

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Represents a restricted stock unit award granted on January 1, 2015 that partially vested on June 30, 2017. The restricted stock units vest as follows: one-quarter on the first anniversary of the grant date and the balance in equal quarterly installments over the three year period beginning on the one-year anniversary of the grant date.

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