FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Hancock Richard B</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Avid Bioservices, Inc. [CDMO]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2642 MICHELLE DRIVE, SUITE 200						e of 7/20		Trans	saction (Month	n/Day	y/Year)		Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Interim President & CEO				pecify	
(Street) TUSTIN CA 92780 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check A Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Pers Form filed by More than One Rep										rting Person			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
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							Code V	A	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		Transact	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			Instr. 4)		
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 D if any (Month/Day/		ransaction ode (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerci Expiration Da (Month/Day/Yo	te	of Securities		es J Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Co	ode V		(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Exp Dat	piration te	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$4.53	05/07/2019			A		46,540		05/07/2020 ⁽¹⁾	05/0	/07/2026	Common Stock	46,540	\$0.0000	141,14	10	D	
Restricted Stock	(2)	05/07/2019			A		19,950		05/07/2020 ⁽³⁾		(3)	Common Stock	19,950	\$0.0000	19,95	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This stock option vests in four (4) equal annual installments over a four (4) year period beginning May 7, 2020 and each year thereafter until fully-vested.
- 2. Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents the contingent right to receive, upon vesting of the RSU, one share of the Issuer's Common Stock.
- 3. This RSU vests in four (4) equal annual installments over a four (4) year period beginning May 7, 2020 and each year thereafter until fully-vested.

<u>/s/ Stephen Hedberg, by Power</u> <u>of Attorney for Richard B.</u> <u>05/08/2019</u> <u>Hancock</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

 $Reminder: Report \ on \ a \ separate \ line \ for \ each \ class \ of \ securities \ beneficially \ owned \ directly \ or \ indirectly.$

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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