FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Hancock Richard B						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Avid Bioservices, Inc. [ CDMO ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
Hancock Richard B														X Director				10% Ov	vner	
(Last) (First) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/05/2022									Officer below)	er (give title w)		Other (s below)	specify			
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Stock Option (right to	\$4.53	07/05/2022			M <sup>(1)</sup>			5,000	(3)	)	05/07/2026	Commo	n 5,00	00 \$	60.0000	218,874	4	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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- 1. The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on October 15, 2021.
- 2. Represents a weighted average sales price per share. These shares were sold at prices ranging from \$16.00 to \$16.11. The Reporting Person has provided to the Issuer, and hereby undertakes to provide the SEC staff or a security holder of the Issuer, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each respective price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- 3. Stock option granted to the reporting person on May 2, 2019, vests in four (4) equal annual installments beginning May 7, 2020 and each year thereafter until fully-vested, subject to the reporting person's continuous service to the Issuer on such vesting dates.

<u>/s/ Stephen Hedberg, by Power</u> <u>of Attorney for Richard B.</u> 07/06/2022 <u>Hancock</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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).

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