# FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person *     Donovan Michael Patrick				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Axogen, Inc. [AXGN]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
13631 PROGRESS BOULEVARD, SUITE 400				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/20/2021								X_ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) VP Operations				
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
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(City)		(State)	(Zip)			Tab	le I - I	Non-Der	ivative	Securit	ies Acquire	ed, Dispose	d of, or Ben	eficially Own	ed	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Data any (Month/Day/Y		(Instr.			4. Securities Acquain (A) or Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D) Beneficially		Owned Following ansaction(s)		wnership orm:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
				(Manage			Code		Amoun	\ /	ì	,		o (1	or Indirect (I (I) (Instr. 4)	
Common S	Stock		12/20/2021				M		375 <u>(1</u>	A	\$ 0 4	1,214		Ι	)	
Common Stock			12/20/2021				F		95 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$ 9.24 4	41,119		Γ	)	
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				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		piration te	Title	Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>	12/20/2021		М			375	<u>(4)</u>		(4)	Commo	n 375.00	\$ 0	0	D	

### **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Donovan Michael Patrick 13631 PROGRESS BOULEVARD SUITE 400 ALACHUA, FL 32615			VP Operations				

## **Signatures**

/s/Mike Donovan	12/22/2021
**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) This reflects the number of restricted stock units that vested on December 18, 2021.
- Represents the number of shares required to be sold by the reporting person to cover tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units. This sale is
- (2) mandated by the Issuer's election under its equity incentive plans to require the satisfaction of tax withholding obligations to be funded by a "sell to cover" transaction and does not represent a discretionary trade by the reporting person.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of AxoGen, Inc. common stock.
  - All shares of AxoGen Inc. common stock underlying the restricted stock Units will be fully vested on December 18, 2021 (4 years from the grant date) based upon a vesting schedule
- (4) whereby 50% of the aggregate shares vest on December 18, 2019 (24 months from the grant date) and an additional 25% of the aggregate shares vest each 12 months thereafter. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon the vesting date.

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