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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MARIANI PETER J				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 13631 PROGRESS BOULEVARD, SUITE 400				Axogen, Inc. [AXGN] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/20/2021					Director					
(Street) ALACHUA, FL 32615				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					
(City)		(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq			uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
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		Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MARIANI PETER J 13631 PROGRESS BOULEVAR SUITE 400 ALACHUA, FL 32615	D		EVP & Chief Financial Officer			

Signatures

/s/Peter Mariani	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 became vested as of 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.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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