## FORM 4

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and															
Name and Address of Reporting Person * Blackford Quentin S.				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Axogen, Inc. [AXGN]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  _X_ Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 13631 PROGRESS BLVD., SUITE 400				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/30/2022							Officer (giv	e title below)	Oth	er (specify belo	ow)
(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 PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu						ies Acqui	ured, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
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#### **Reporting Owners**

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Blackford Quentin S. 13631 PROGRESS BLVD. SUITE 400 ALACHUA, FL 32615	X				

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Quentin Blackford	04/01/2022
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 March 30, 2022.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Axogen, Inc. common stock.
- Annual equity grant for service as Director on the Axogen, Inc. Board of Directors. The number of shares pursuant to the equity grant is based on a \$120,000 valuation as of the grant (3) date and vests on June 1, 2022, one year from the anniversary of the grant date. One-half of the annual equity grant value is in the form of non-qualified stock options and one-half of the annual equity grant value is in the form of restricted stock units. This grant was accelerated by Axogen's Board of Directors to vest upon departure.

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