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INITIAL STATEMENT OF 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 Address of Reporting Person * <u>Began Marc A</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 13631 PROGRESS BLVD., SUITE 400 (Street) ALACHUA FL 32615 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 03/20/2023	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Axogen, Inc. [AXGN]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <input type="checkbox"/> <u>EVP & General Counsel</u>	5. If Amendment, Date of 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 <input type="checkbox"/>

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date				
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	45,000	0.0	D
Employee Stock Option (right to purchase)	03/01/2025	03/01/2033	Common Stock	90,000	8.16	D

Explanation of Responses:

1. All shares of Axogen Inc. common stock underlying the restricted stock units will be fully vested on March 1, 2027 (4 years from the grant date) based upon a vesting schedule whereby 50% of the aggregate shares vest on March 1, 2025 (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.

Remarks:

Marc Began 03/29/2023
 ** 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 5 (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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