

SHUBER ANTHONY P
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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 *
SHUBER ANTHONY P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
EXACT SCIENCES CORP [EXAS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O EXACT SCIENCES CORPORATION, 100 CAMPUS DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/23/2004

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Chief Tech Officer & Sen. V.P.

(Street)
MARLBOROUGH, MA 01752

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
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	8.
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option Grant (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$ 3.61 ⁽²⁾	12/23/2004	A		60,000		⁽³⁾	12/23/2014	Common Stock	60,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SHUBER ANTHONY P C/O EXACT SCIENCES CORPORATION 100 CAMPUS DRIVE MARLBOROUGH, MA 01752			Chief Tech Officer & Sen. V.P.	

Signatures

/s/ Anthony P. Shuber
12/28/2004

^{**}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) Stock option grant pursuant to Issuer's 2001 Stock Option and Incentive Plan which complies with Rule 16b-3.
- (2) The fair market value of the Issuer's common stock on the date of grant.
- (3) 2.7777% shall become exercisable on January 1, 2005 and the first day of each month thereafter for the next thirty-six (36) months.

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