FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Dow Brian B					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PACIFIC BIOSCIENCES OF CALIFORNIA INC [PACB]								elationship o eck all applica Director Officer (able)	g Perso	on(s) to Issu 10% Ow Other (s	ner
(Last) PACIFIC	`	First) NCES OF CALI	(Middle) FORNIA, IN		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2012								X Officer (give title Officer (specify below) VP and PAO				
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(City)	(:	State)	(Zip)										Person				
		Ta	able I - Non	-Deriva	tive S	ecuritie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or Be	neficially	Owned				
Date			2. Transac Date (Month/Da	Execution Date		te, Transaction Disposed Code (Instr.		ities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	: Direct Indirect str. 4) (7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction (Instr. 3 and				Instr. 4)
Common	Stock												3,42	20(1)	D		
			Table II - D					uired, D s, option					Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date (Month/Day/Year) if	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	action (Instr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	e s ally g	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Stock Option (right to buy)	\$4.79	02/15/2012		A		100,000		02/15/2013	(2)	02/15/2022	Common Stock	100,000	\$0	100,0	00	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- $1. \ Includes \ shares \ acquired \ by \ the \ Reporting \ Person \ on \ September \ 1, 2011 \ pursuant \ to \ the \ Issuer's \ Employee \ Stock \ Purchase \ Plan.$
- 2. 1/5th of the shares subject to the option will vest on February 15, 2013 and the balance of the shares will vest monthly thereafter over the next four years, provided that the Reporting Person continues to serve through each vesting date.

Brian Dow

02/17/2012

** 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 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).

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