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FORM 4

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(City)

(State)

(Zip)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addr Amos John P.	ess of Reporti	ing Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	VIVUS INC [VVUS] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
C/O VIVUS, INC., 900 E. HAMILTON AVE., SUITE 550			(Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2019	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Executive Officer			
CAMPDELL	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 03/04/2019	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting			
CAMPBELL, CA 95008				Person			

(,)	()	Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative Sec	curities Acqui	rea, Disposea of,	or Beneficially	y Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities	Acquired (A)	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	mr Disposed	of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)			Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
						Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
				(4.)	Reported	(I)	
				·	A) or	Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V		D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
C					\$			
Common Stock	03/01/2019		P	11,000 A	4.8531 (1)	181,850 (2)	D	

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

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Table I. Non Desirative Consulting Assuring Disposed of an Deneficially O

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

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	e		Securi	ities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
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					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Amos John P. C/O VIVUS, INC. 900 E. HAMILTON AVE., SUITE 550 CAMPBELL, CA 95008	X		Chief Executive Officer				

Signatures

/s/ Julie Hollenback, Attorney-in-Fact 04/10/2019

**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).
- This is the weighted average purchase price. Shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices from \$4.76 to \$4.86. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within the range set forth in footnote (1) to this Form 4. The amount reflected has been rounded to 4 decimal points.
- On September 10, 2018, VIVUS, Inc. effected a 1-for-10 reverse stock split (the "Reverse Split"). The number of shares in the original Form 4 was not adjusted to reflect the Reverse Split. 1,708,500 shares of common stock on a pre-Reverse Split basis were adjusted to 170,850 shares following the Reverse Split (with fractional shares rounded up to the next whole number). The number of shares beneficially owned following the reported transaction has been adjusted to reflect the Reverse Spit.

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