

NICOLS JOHN J  
Form 4  
December 10, 2018

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
NICOLS JOHN J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O CODEXIS, INC., 200  
PENOBSCOT DRIVE

(Street)

REDWOOD CITY, CA 94063

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
CODEXIS INC [CDXS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/06/2018

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/06/2018		M <sup>(1)</sup>	40,000 A	\$ 3.46 1,112,679	D	
Common Stock	12/06/2018		S <sup>(1)</sup>	40,000 D	\$ 21.7458 1,072,679	D	
Common Stock	12/07/2018		M <sup>(1)</sup>	3,812 A	\$ 3.46 1,076,491	D	
Common Stock	12/07/2018		S <sup>(1)</sup>	3,812 D	\$ 22.0906 1,072,679	D	

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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 Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.46	12/06/2018		M <sup>(1)</sup>	40,000	<sup>(4)</sup> 06/12/2022	Common Stock	40,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.46	12/07/2018		M <sup>(1)</sup>	40,000	<sup>(4)</sup> 06/12/2022	Common Stock	3,812

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
NICOLS JOHN J C/O CODEXIS, INC. 200 PENOBSCOT DRIVE REDWOOD CITY, CA 94063	X		President and CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ Gordon Sangster, Attorney-in-Fact for John Nicols

12/10/2018

                     \*\*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) Transaction made pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on November 29, 2017.

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(2) This transaction was executed in multiple trades in prices ranging from \$21.70 to \$21.98, inclusive. The price reported in Column 4 above reflects the weighted average sale price. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide to the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each respective price within the range set forth in this footnote.

(3) This transaction was executed in multiple trades in prices ranging from \$22.05 to \$22.20, inclusive. The price reported in Column 4 above reflects the weighted average sale price. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide to the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each respective price within the range set forth in this footnote.

(4) The option is fully vested and exercisable.

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