ACACIA RESEARCH CORP

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

Stock

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

DEBOOM FRED A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ACACIA RESEARCH CORP

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

> (Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2015

(Check all applicable)

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

520 NEWPORT CENTER DR., 12TH FLOOR

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Filed(Month/Day/Year)

01/06/2015

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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

NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

(State)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

3.

4. Securities

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A)

Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common 01/02/2015

\$0 7,177 (1)

 $76,100^{(2)}$ D

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)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc		7. Titl		8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transact Code (Instr. 8)	orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	:		Amou Under Securi (Instr.	lying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Topozonig o mare rume (rum 1999	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DEBOOM FRED A 520 NEWPORT CENTER DR. 12TH FLOOR NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660	X						

Signatures

Fred A.
DeBoom

**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) Grant of Restricted Stock Units.
- (2) Correction to an addition error for Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction. After acquiring 7,177 shares, Beneficial Ownership should be 76,100.

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