FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Erlinger III James H</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERACYTE, INC. [ VCYT ]									able)	Perso	10% Ow Other (s	ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6000 SHORELINE COURT SUITE 300					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/29/2020								below) A below) EVP, General Counsel				
(Street) SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO CA 94080			94080	4.	Line) X Form fil								pint/Group Filing (Check Applicable led by One Reporting Person led by More than One Reporting				
(City)	(S		(Zip)														
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
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							Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price	Transacti	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			,	
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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(3)		
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$30.18	07/29/2020		A		175,000		(1)	07	7/29/2030	Common Stock	175,000	\$0	175,000	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The stock option awarded on July 29, 2020 becomes exercisable as to 25% of the shares on July 29, 2021, and the remaining shares vest at a rate of 1/48th of the total number of shares subject to the award for each month of continuous service thereafter.

/s/ Keith Kennedy, as Attorney- 07/31/2020

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\*\* 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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