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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Mendelsohn Adam					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Vivani Medical, Inc. [VANI]							(Ched	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last)	(First	:)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/06/2023						X	Officer (m)	ve title	Other (spec below)		·		
C/O 5858 HORTON ST. SUITE 280													CEO					
(Street) EMERYVIL	,				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(Stat	e)	(Zip)															
		-	Table I - Non	-Deriva	tive S	ecurities	s Acq	uired, Di	ispo	sed of	, or Bene	ficially O	vned					
Date				2. Transact Date Month/Day	Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)			and 5) Securities Beneficiall Following		6. Own Form: or India (Instr. 4	Direct (D) rect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
								Code	,	Amount (A) or (D)		Price		ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 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	se (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 Securities Underlyin Derivative Security (3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following	re les la	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		piration te	Title	Amount of Number of Shares		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)				
Common Stock Option	\$1.09	03/06/2023		A		200,000(2)		03/06/2023	03/	/06/2033	Common Stock	200,000	\$0	200,00	00	D		
RSU	(1)	03/06/2023		A		100,000(3)		03/06/2023	03/	/06/2027	Common Stock	100,000	\$0	100,00	00	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of Vivani common stock.
- 2. The stock options have a 10-year term and vest immediately when share price closes at \$6.30 for three consecutive business days. If the options fail to reach \$6.30 for three consecutive business days within a four year term from the date of grant the options expire.
- 3. First third of RSUs vest when the stock price is at or above \$3.15 for three consecutive business days. Second third vests one year after that. Final third vests one year after the second third. If the RSUs fail to reach \$3.15 for three consecutive business days within a four year term from the date of the grant the RSUs expire.

<u>/s/ Adam Mendelsohn</u> <u>03/08/2023</u>

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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