Sterling Lionel Form 4 July 20, 2010

## FORM 4

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

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1(b).

Stock (1)

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Ad Sterling Lion	Symbol	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol EXACT SCIENCES CORP [EXAS]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(I4)						(Check all applicable)			
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C/O EXACT		07/16/2010				below)	below)	ier (speerry	
CORP., 441	CHARMANY D	RIVE							
	4. If Ame	4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
File			Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line)		
MADISON,	WI 53719						_X_ Form filed by Form filed by Person	One Reporting Po	
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	e 2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	curity (Month/Day/Year) Execut		on Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or			Securities Form: Direct Indirect			
(Instr. 3) any		•	Code	. r		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following Reported	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			G 1 ***		or	ъ.	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
C			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	,		
Common Stock (1)	07/16/2010		A	5,831	A	\$0	5,831	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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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 or 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.43	07/16/2010		A	19,168	<u>(2)</u>	07/16/2020	Common Stock	19,168
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.43	07/16/2010		A	7,667	(3)	07/16/2020	Common Stock	7,667

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Sterling Lionel C/O EXACT SCIENCES CORP. 441 CHARMANY DRIVE MADISON, WI 53719	X					

# **Signatures**

/s/ Lionel Sterling by Mark R. Busch, 07/20/2010 Attorney-in-Fact \*\*Signature of Reporting Person

#### **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).

Date

- (1) These shares of restricted stock were issued pursuant to the Company's non-employee director compensation policy.
- (2) This option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on the one year anniversary of the grant date.
- (3) This option vests in full on the one year anniversary of the grant date.

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