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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>Smith Edward B III</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O HEAT BIOLOGICS, INC.</u> <u>627 DAVIS DRIVE</u> (Street) <u>MORRISVILLE NC 27560</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>HEAT BIOLOGICS, INC. [HTBX]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>12/30/2021</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			

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) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$4.06	12/30/2021		J ⁽¹⁾			32,467	01/13/2022	12/12/2031	Common Stock	\$0	0	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$4.06	12/30/2021		A ⁽¹⁾		32,467		01/13/2021 ⁽²⁾	12/29/2031	Common Stock	\$0	32,467	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- On December 30, 2021, the board of directors of Heat Biologics, Inc. (the "Company") rescinded and cancelled stock option awards previously made to Mr. Smith on December 13, 2021 covering 32,467 shares under the Company's 2018 Stock Incentive Plan (the "Plan") and granted new stock options under the Plan, on substantially similar terms to the rescinded stock options, which new stock options are subject to forfeiture in the event an amendment to increase the number of shares of common stock available for grant under the Plan is not adopted by the Company's stockholders.
- These stock options vest pro rata on a monthly basis over a twelve-month period commencing 1/13/2022.

/s/ Edward B. Smith III

01/03/2022

** 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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