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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Goldman Neil A Issuer Symbol CHEMBIO DIAGNOSTICS, INC. (Check all applicable) [CEMI] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) 3661 HORSEBLOCK RD 10/08/2018 See Remarks (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting MEDFORD, NY 11763 Person (City) (State) (Zip)

| (City) | (State) (2 | Table | I - Non-De | erivative S | ecurit | ies Acq | uired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | ly Owned |
|------------|---------------------|---|------------|--------------|-----------|------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------|
| 1.Title of | 2. Transaction Date | 2A. Deemed | 3. | 4. Securiti | ies Aco | quired | 5. Amount of | 6. Ownership | 7. Nature of |
| Security | (Month/Day/Year) | onth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of | | | of | Securities | Form: Direct | Indirect | |
| (Instr. 3) | | any | Code | (D) | | | Beneficially | (D) or | Beneficial |
| | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | (Instr. 3, 4 | and 5 | i) | Owned | Indirect (I) | Ownership |
| | | | | | | | Following | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | (4) | | Reported | | |
| | | | | | (A) | | Transaction(s) | | |
| | | | Code V | A manust | or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| C | | | Code V | Amount | (D) | Price | | | |
| Common | 10/08/2018 | | A | 31,088 | Α | \$ 0 | 45,903 | D | |
| Stock | 10,00,2010 | | | (1) | 2.1 | ΨΟ | 10,700 | 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 | 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) | Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | ofNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | Amou Under Securi (Instr. | rlying | 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 |
|--------------------------------|---------------|
| Neborting Owner Name / Address | |

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Goldman Neil A

3661 HORSEBLOCK RD See Remarks

MEDFORD, NY 11763

Signatures

/s/ Mark L. Johnson, Attorney-in-Fact for Neil A.
Goldman

10/10/2018

**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) Represents grant of 31,088 shares of restricted stock scheduled to vest over three years, with one-third vesting on October 8, 2019; one-third vesting on October 8, 2020; and the remaining one-third vesting on October 8, 2021.

Remarks:

Executive Vice President & Chief Financial Officer

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