FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Jaramillo Nestor Jr.						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Nuwellis, Inc. [ NUWE ]									ationship of k all applica Director	able)	Reporting Person(s) to Issuer ale) 10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 12988 VALLEY VIEW ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/03/2022									X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  President and CEO					
(Street) EDEN PRAIRIE MN 55344				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable le)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)	D i	ative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned															
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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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Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$0.94	03/03/2022		I	A		101,190		(1)	0	3/02/2032	Common Stock	101,1	190	\$0	101,19	00	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The options will vest as follows: 25% of the options will vest on the one-year anniversary of the date of grant; the remaining options will vest in 36 equal consecutive monthly increments thereafter, so all will be vested on the four-year anniversary of the date of grant.

> /s/ Paul Wotta, by Power of <u>Attorney</u>

03/04/2022

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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