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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 2. Date of Event 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Requiring Statement Codex DNA, Inc. [DNAY] Northpond Ventures GP, LLC (Month/Day/Year) 06/17/2021 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Last) (First) (Middle) Issuer Filed (Month/Day/Year) (Check all applicable) 7500 OLD GEORGETOWN ROAD, X 10% Owner Director **SUITE 850** 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Officer (give Other (specify title below) below) Form filed by One Reporting Person (Street) Form filed by More than One **BETHESDA MD** 20814 Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) 2. Amount of Securities 3. Ownership 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned (Instr. Form: Direct Ownership (Instr. 5) (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) **Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned** (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) 3. Title and Amount of Securities 2. Date Exercisable and 6. Nature of Conversion **Indirect Beneficial Expiration Date Underlying Derivative Security** Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 4) or Exercise Form: Ownership (Instr. Price of Direct (D) Amount or Derivative or Indirect Date **Expiration** Number of (I) (Instr. 5) Security Exercisable Title Date **Shares** By: Northpond Series A Preferred Stock (1) (1) (1) Common Stock 5,241,851 T Ventures, LP⁽³⁾ By: Northpond (2) (2) (2) Series A-1 Preferred Stock Common Stock 4,160,529 Ī Ventures, LP(3) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

Northpond Ventures GP, LLC			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	
7500 OLD GE0	ORGETOWN RO	AD, SUITE 850	
(Street)			
BETHESDA	MD	20814	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	
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(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	
7500 OLD GEORGETOWN ROAD, SUITE 850			
(Street) BETHESDA	MD	20814	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*			

Rubin Michael P.			
(Last) 7500 OLD GEO	(First)	(Middle) 'N ROAD, SUITE 850	
(Street) BETHESDA	MD	20814	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. All shares of Class A Preferred Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share (the "Class A Preferred Stock"), of Codex DNA, Inc. (the "Issuer") will automatically convert on a one-for-one basis into shares of the Issuer's common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share (the "Common Stock") prior to the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering of its Common Stock. The Class A Preferred Stock has no expiration date.
- 2. All shares of Class A-1 Preferred Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share (the "Class A-1 Preferred Stock"), of the "Issuer will automatically convert on a one-for-one basis into shares of the Issuer's Common Stock prior to the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering of its Common Stock. The Class A-1 Preferred Stock has no expiration date.
- 3. Northpond Ventures GP, LLC ("Northpond GP LLC") is the general partner of Northpond Ventures, LP ("Northpond Fund"), and Michael P. Rubin is the managing member of Northpond GP LLC. As a result, each of Northpond GP and Mr. Rubin may be deemed to share beneficial ownership with respect to the shares held of record by Northpond Fund. Each of Northpond GP LLC and Mr. Rubin disclaim beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein, except to the extent of such Reporting Person's pecuniary interest therein, if any.

Remarks:

Northpond Ventures GP, LLC, By: /s/ Patrick Smerkers, Senior Vice 06/17/2021 President, Finance and **Operations** Northpond Ventures, LP, By: Northpond Ventures GP, LLC, its general partner, By: /s/ Patrick 06/17/2021 S<u>merkers, Senior Vice</u> President, Finance and **Operations** /s/ Michael P. Rubin 06/17/2021 ** Signature of Reporting Date 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 5 (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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