

CHEMBIO DIAGNOSTICS, INC.

Form 8-K

July 19, 2018

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): July 19, 2018 (July 19, 2018)

CHEMBIO DIAGNOSTICS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada

0-30379

88-0425691

(State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification Number)

3661 Horseblock Road

Medford, NY 11763

(Address of principal executive offices)

631-924-1135

(Registrant's Telephone Number)

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this

chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

ITEM 7.01. REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE.

(a) On July 19, 2018, the Company engaged the firm of Pearl Meyer & Partners, LLC as compensation consultant to the Company for the purpose of reviewing the Company's executive compensation plan and working with the Company to develop an updated executive compensation plan.

(b) The Company has taken delivery and is currently undertaking validation testing of its first automated manufacturing line to produce DPP® Assays.

ITEM 8.01. OTHER EVENTS.

On July 19, 2018, the Company issued a press release titled "Chembio Diagnostics Appoints Christine Rousseau, Ph.D. as Vice President, Corporate Development". A copy of the press release is provided herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release, dated July 19, 2018, titled "Chembio Diagnostics Appoints Christine Rousseau, Ph.D. as Vice President, Corporate Development".

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

July 19, 2018 Chembio Diagnostics, Inc.

By: /s/ John J. Sperzel III
John J. Sperzel III
Chief Executive Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
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