

BIODELIVERY SCIENCES INTERNATIONAL INC  
Form 8-K  
August 01, 2017

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d)**  
**of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): August 1, 2017 (July 31, 2017)**

**BioDelivery Sciences International, Inc.**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or other jurisdiction**  
  
**of incorporation)**

**001-31361**  
**(Commission**  
  
**File Number)**

**35-2089858**  
**(IRS Employer**  
  
**Identification No.)**

**4131 ParkLake Ave., Suite #225**

**Raleigh, NC**

**27612**

**(Address of principal executive offices)**

**(Zip Code)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 919-582-9050**

**Not Applicable**

**(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 to 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 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

On July 31, 2017, BioDelivery Sciences International, Inc. (the Company ) provided its shareholders a mid-year corporate update for the mid-year ended June 30, 2017 by issuing a letter to its shareholders (the Shareholder Letter ) and a press release. In the Shareholder Letter, the Company also announced that it would be holding its annual meeting of shareholders in the fourth quarter of 2017. The full text of the Shareholder Letter and press release are attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and Exhibit 99.2, respectively, and are incorporated herein by reference.

The information furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 of this Form 8-K shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act ) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference into any other filing under Securities Act of 1933, as amended or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

*(d) Exhibits*

99.1 Letter to Shareholders dated July 31, 2017.

99.2 Press release, dated July 31, 2017.

**Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements**

This Current Report on Form 8-K, the press release included herein, and any statements of representatives and partners of the Company related thereto contain, or may contain, among other things, certain forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such forward-looking statements involve significant risks and uncertainties. Such statements may include, without limitation, statements with respect to the Company s plans, objectives, projections, expectations and intentions and other statements identified by words such as projects, may, will, could, would, should, believes, expects, anticipates, plans, potential or similar expressions. These statements are based upon the current beliefs and expectations of the Company s management and are subject to significant risks and uncertainties, including those detailed in the Company s filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Actual results (including, without limitation, the operational and financial results of the Company s commercialization agreement for BELBUCA in Canada described herein and in the attached press release) may differ significantly from those set forth in the forward-looking statements. These forward-looking statements involve certain risks and uncertainties that are subject to change based on various factors (many of which are beyond the Company s control). The Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by applicable law.

**SIGNATURES**

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

August 1, 2017

BIODELIVERY SCIENCES INTERNATIONAL, INC.

By: /s/ Ernest R. De Paolantonio

Name: Ernest R. De Paolantonio

Title: Chief Financial Officer, Treasurer and Secretary