UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K/A

Amendment No. 1

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

March 5, 2016 Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

Flex Pharma, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

001-36812 (Commission File Number) 46-5087339 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

800 Boylston Street, 24th Floor Boston, MA

(Address of principal executive offices)

02199

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (617) 874-1821

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

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

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On March 9, 2016, Flex Pharma, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), filed a Current Report on Form 8-K (the "Original Form 8-K") with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission to report that Michelle Stacy had been elected to the Company's Board of Directors (the "Board"). This Amendment No. 1 to Current Report on Form 8-K/A amends and supplements the Original Form 8-K to report Ms. Stacey's election to the Audit Committee of the Board. The Original Form 8-K otherwise remains the same as amended and supplemented by this Amendment No. 1.

On June 8, 2016, the Board elected Ms. Stacy to the Audit Committee of the Board, effective immediately. Ms. Stacy replaced Stuart Randle on the Audit Committee and Mr. Randle was elected by the Board to the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee of the Board.

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 hereunto duly authorized.

Flex Pharma, Inc.

Dated: June 10, 2016

By: /s/ Robert Hadfield

Robert Hadfield General Counsel and Secretary