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Recro Pharma, Inc. Form 8-K August 21, 2017

## **UNITED STATES**

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 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): August 21, 2017

Recro Pharma, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania (State or other jurisdiction of

**001-36329** (Commission

26-1523233 (I.R.S. Employer

incorporation or organization)

File Number)

**Identification No.)** 

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490 Lapp Road, Malvern, Pennsylvania

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (484) 395-2470

## **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 of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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 8.01 Other Events.

On August 21, 2017, Recro Pharma, Inc. (the <u>Company</u>) issued a press release announcing the appointment of Jyrki Mattila, M.D., Ph.D., as Executive Vice President of Business Development of the Company. A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

# Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

# (d) Exhibits

## Exhibit

No. Document

99.1 Press release of Recro Pharma, Inc., dated August 21, 2017.

# **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.

Recro Pharma, Inc.

By: /s/ Gerri A. Henwood Name: Gerri A. Henwood Title: Chief Executive Officer

Date: August 21, 2017

# EXHIBIT INDEX

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