

CATALYST PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.  
Form 8-K  
June 07, 2016

**UNITED STATES**  
**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): June 6, 2016**

**CATALYST PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.**  
**(Exact Name Of Registrant As Specified In Its Charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or other jurisdiction**

**of incorporation)**

**001-33057**  
**(Commission File**

**Number)**

**76-0837053**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**

**Identification No.)**

**355 Alhambra Circle**

**Suite 1250**

**Coral Gables, Florida**  
**(Address of principal executive offices)**

**33134**  
**(Zip Code)**

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(305) 420-3200**

**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:

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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(e) Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers**

At the Company's 2016 Annual Meeting of Stockholders held on June 6, 2016, Patrick J. McEnany, Philip H. Coelho, Charles B. O'Keefe, David S. Tierney, Richard J. Daly and Donald A. Denkhaus were elected to the Company's Board of Directors to serve until the 2017 Annual Meeting of Stockholders or until their successor is duly elected and qualified, or until their earlier death, resignation or removal.

**Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders**

On June 6, 2016, the Company held its Annual Meeting of Stockholders at the Hyatt Regency Coral Gables, 50 Alhambra Plaza, Coral Gables, Florida. The final voting results on the matters considered at the meeting are as follows:

1. Election of Directors:

| Name               | Votes For  | Votes Withheld | Broker Non-Votes |
|--------------------|------------|----------------|------------------|
| Patrick J. McEnany | 36,087,837 | 2,360,833      | 27,622,483       |
| Philip H. Coelho   | 36,091,126 | 2,357,544      | 27,622,483       |
| Charles B. O'Keefe | 36,104,101 | 2,344,569      | 27,622,483       |
| David S. Tierney   | 36,091,691 | 2,356,979      | 27,622,483       |
| Richard J. Daly    | 36,093,075 | 2,355,595      | 27,622,483       |
| Donald A. Denkhaus | 36,176,611 | 2,272,059      | 27,622,483       |

2. Approval of an amendment to the Company's 2014 Stock Incentive Plan increasing the shares available for issuance under the plan by 2 million shares:

| Votes For  | Votes Against | Votes Abstained | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------|
| 35,554,806 | 2,837,409     | 56,455          | 27,622,483       |

3. Approval, on an advisory basis, of the compensation of the Company's named executive officers as set forth in its 2016 Annual Meeting Proxy Statement:

| Votes For  | Votes Against | Votes Abstained | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------|
| 35,490,462 | 2,766,382     | 191,826         | 27,622,483       |

4. Ratification of the selection of Grant Thornton, LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2016:

| <b>Votes For</b> | <b>Votes Against</b> | <b>Votes Abstained</b> |
|------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| 64,936,128       | 586,747              | 548,278                |

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

- 10.1 Amendment No. 1 to the Company's 2014 Stock Incentive Plan (incorporated by reference to Annex A to the Company's 2016 Annual Meeting Proxy Statement dated April 29, 2016)

**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, thereunto duly authorized.

**Catalyst Pharmaceuticals, Inc.**

By: /s/ Alicia Grande  
Alicia Grande

Vice President, Treasurer and Chief

Financial Officer

Dated: June 7, 2016