NEWLINK GENETICS CORP Form 8-K/A November 02, 2018

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K/A

**CURRENT REPORT** 

Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 2, 2018 (October 31, 2018)

NewLink Genetics Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-35342 42-1491350 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

2503 South Loop Drive Ames, IA 50010

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (515) 296-5555

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 o

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

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

This Amendment No. 1 to the Form 8-K (this "Amendment") amends NewLink Genetics Corporation's Form 8-K originally filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 1, 2018 (the "Original Filing") for the sole purpose of (1) correcting the balance statement included in the press release filed as Exhibit 99.1 to the Original Filing and (2) removing the inadvertent check mark in the "Emerging growth company" check box on the cover page of the Original Filing. This Amendment should be read in conjunction with the Original Filing. Except as expressly set forth above, this Amendment does not, and does not purport to, amend, update, change or restate the information in any other item of the Original Filing or reflect any events that have occurred after the date of the Original Filing.

### Section 9 - Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

**Exhibit Number Description** 

Corrected Press Release, dated November 1, 2018, entitled "NewLink Genetics Reports Third Quarter 99.1

2018 Financial Results and Announces Abstracts to Be Presented at Upcoming Medical Meetings"

#### **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.

Dated: November 2, 2018

NewLink Genetics Corporation

By:/s/ Carl W. Langren Carl W. Langren

Its: Chief Financial Officer