GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS INC Form 8-K/A August 18, 2017

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): August 14, 2017

GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada (State or Other Jurisdiction **001-31791** (Commission

04-3562325 (IRS Employer

of Incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)
4960 PEACHTREE INDUSTRIAL BOULEVARD, STE 240

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NORCROSS, GA 30071

(Address of principal executive office) (zip code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (678) 620-3186

N/A

(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.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

Galectin Therapeutics, Inc. (the Company) is filing this 8-K/A to clarify information that was included in the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference to its Current Report on Form 8-K filed on August 14, 2017 (Original Report). Except as stated herein, the Original Report remains unchanged.

SECTION 2 FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

The Company hereby incorporates by reference herein the information set forth in its press release dated August 18, 2017 (the Press Release), a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

SECTION 9 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1 Press Release dated August 18, 2017

SIGNATURES

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

Date: August 18, 2017

Galectin Therapeutics Inc.

By: /s/ Peter G. Traber Peter G. Traber, M.D.

Chief Executive Officer and President

(principal executive officer)