

MERIDIAN BIOSCIENCE INC

Form 8-K/A

February 02, 2018

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): January 25, 2018

MERIDIAN BIOSCIENCE, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio

0-14902

31-0888197

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

3471 River Hills Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45244

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (513) 271-3700

(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 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17CFR §240.12b-2).

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 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

In consideration of the shareholder vote on the proposal regarding the preferred frequency of future advisory votes on executive compensation, Meridian Bioscience, Inc.'s (the "Company") Board of Directors decided that the Company will hold an advisory vote to approve the compensation of the Company's named executive officers every year in connection with its annual meeting of shareholders. Accordingly, the Company will include such an advisory vote every year in its future proxy materials until the next shareholder vote on the preferred frequency of such advisory votes, which vote shall be held no later than the Company's annual meeting of shareholders in 2023.

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.

MERIDIAN BIOSCIENCE, INC.

Date: February 2, 2018 By: /s/ Melissa A. Lueke
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
(Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)