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Registration No. 333-156484

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to Form S-1 REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

PEPLIN, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

26-0641830 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

6475 Christie Avenue Emeryville, California 94608 (510) 653-9700

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant s principal executive offices)

> George Mahaffey Chief Executive Officer Peplin, Inc. 6475 Christie Avenue Emeryville, California 94608 (510) 653-9700

(Name, address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to the public: Not Applicable

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If the only securities being registered on this Form are being offered pursuant to dividend or interest reinvestment plans, please check the following box: o

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Large accelerated filer o

Accelerated filer o

Non-accelerated filer b (Do not check if a smaller reporting company) Smaller reporting company o

DEREGISTRATION OF SECURITIES

Peplin, Inc. (the Registrant) is filing this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to its Registration Statement on Form S-1, as amended to withdraw and remove from registration the unissued and unsold shares of the Registrant s common stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the Common Stock), issuable by the Registrant pursuant to its Registration Statement on Form S-1, originally filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the Commission) on December 30, 2008 (Registration No. 333-156484) and amended by the Registrant s Registration Statement on Form S-1/A filed with the Commission on January 13, 2009 (collectively, the Registration Statement).

On November 6, 2009, the Registrant s stockholders approved, at a special meeting of stockholders, an Agreement and Plan of Merger and Reorganization, dated as of September 2, 2009 (the Merger Agreement), by and among LEO Pharma A/S (the Purchaser), Plant Acquisition Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation and wholly owned subsidiary of the Purchaser (Merger Sub) and the Registrant. Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, upon filing the Certificate of Merger with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware on November 11, 2009 (the Effective Time) Merger Sub was merged with and into the Registrant, with the Registrant continuing as the surviving corporation and as a wholly-owned subsidiary of Purchaser (the Merger).

At the Effective Time, outstanding share of Registrant s Common Stock (other than shares held by Purchaser, Merger Sub, or any Subsidiary of Purchaser or Registrant) was converted into the right to receive an amount in cash equal to US\$16.99, without interest, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Merger Agreement.

As a result of the Merger, the Registrant terminated all offerings of its securities pursuant to its existing registration statements, including the Registration Statement. In accordance with an undertaking made by the Registrant in the Registration Statement to remove from registration, by means of a post-effective amendment, any shares of its Common Stock which remain unsold at the termination of the offering, the Registrant hereby removes from registration all shares of Common Stock registered under the Registration Statement which remained unsold as of the Effective Time of the Merger.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the Registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-1 and has duly caused this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Emeryville, State of California, on this 7th day of December, 2009.

Peplin, Inc.

By: /s/ George Mahaffey George Mahaffey Chief Executive Officer

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature /s/ George Mahaffey	Title Chief Executive Officer (<i>Principal Executive Officer</i>)	Date December 7, 2009
George Mahaffey		
/s/ David Smith	Chief Financial Officer (Principal Accounting and	December 7, 2009
David Smith	Financial Officer)	
/s/ Gitte P. Aabo	Director	December 7, 2009
Gitte P. Aabo		
/s/ Lars Olsen	Director	December 7, 2009
Lars Olsen		