

Adaptimmune Therapeutics PLC
Form 8-K
October 22, 2018

**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: **October 22, 2018**

(Date of earliest event reported: **October 20, 2018**)

ADAPTIMMUNE THERAPEUTICS PLC

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

England and Wales
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

1-37368
(Commission File Number)

Not Applicable
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

60 Jubilee Avenue, Milton Park
Abingdon, Oxfordshire OX14 4RX
United Kingdom

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

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(44) 1235 430000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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:

- ☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- ☐ 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 ☒ X

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. ☒ X

Item 8.01

Other Events

On October 20, 2018, Adaptimmune Therapeutics plc (the "Company" or "Adaptimmune") issued a press release announcing two poster presentations of initial data from the first two cohorts of its ongoing studies with its MAGE-A10 and MAGE-A4 SPEAR T-cells at the European Society for Medical Oncology (ESMO) 2018 Congress in Munich, Germany. The press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and is incorporated by reference herein.

The information contained in Item 8.01 of this Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1 furnished herewith, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or incorporated by reference in any filing made by the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by the Company by specific reference in such a filing.

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Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.

Description of Exhibit

99.1	<u>Press release dated October 20, 2018.</u>
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SIGNATURES

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

ADAPT IMMUNE THERAPEUTICS PLC

Date: October 22, 2018

By:	/s/ Margaret Henry	
Name:		Margaret Henry
Title:		Corporate Secretary