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| UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANG Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K | E COMMISSION | |
| CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) The Securities Exchange Act of | | |
| Date of Report (Date of earliest of | event reported): November 12, 20 | 13 (November 12, 2013) |
| NewLink Genetics Corporation (Exact name of registrant as spec | cified in its charter) | |
| Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) | 001-35342 (Commission File Number) | 42-1491350 (IRS Employer Identification No.) |
| 2503 South Loop Drive Ames, IA | | 50010 |
| (Address of principal executive offices) | | (Zip Code) |
| Registrant's telephone number, in | ncluding area code: (515) 296-555 | 55 |
| | _ | d to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of nstruction 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))

Section 2 - Financial Information

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On November 12, 2013, NewLink Genetics Corporation, a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), issued a press release reporting financial results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2013.

The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, which is furnished under Item 2.02 of this report and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filing.

Section 9 - Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number Description

Press Release, dated November 12, 2013, entitled "NewLink Genetics Corporation Reports Third

Quarter 2013 Financial Results"

SIGNATURES

Its:

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 12, 2013

NewLink Genetics Corporation

By: /s/ Gordon H. Link, Jr.

Gordon H. Link, Jr. Chief Financial Officer

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