CANCER GENETICS, INC Form 8-K September 16, 2016

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 (Date of earliest event reported): September 13, 2016

CANCER GENETICS, INC. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware001-3581704-3462475(State or Other(Commission(IRS EmployerJurisdiction ofFile Number)Identification No.)Incorporation)Incorporation

201 Route 17 North 2nd Floor, Rutherford, New Jersey 07070 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (201) 528-9200

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

On September 13, 2016, Jane Houldsworth El Naggar, Vice President of Research and Development of Cancer Genetics, Inc. (the "Company") notified the Company of her intention to resign from her position with the Company in approximately a month's time to pursue an academic position in cancer research. It is expected that she will continue to collaborate on certain pending projects.

The Company believes it will be able to readily continue its current research and development activities with its current staff and has no immediate plans to fill Dr. Houldsworth's position.

SIGNATURE

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.

CANCER GENETICS, INC.

By: /s/ Edward J. Sitar Name: Edward J. Sitar Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: September 16, 2016