Verastem, Inc. Form 8-K March 11, 2014

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): March 7, 2014

Verastem, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction

001-35403 (Commission File Number)

27-3269467 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

of Incorporation)

215 First Street, Suite 440, Cambridge, MA (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

02142 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (617) 252-9300

(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):	
o	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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o	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
o	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.
(d) Election of Director.
On March 7, 2014, the Board of Directors of Verastem, Inc. (the Company) unanimously voted to increase the size of the Company s Board of Directors, which had previously been set at 9, to 10 members and to elect Timothy J. Barberich, 66, as a director of the Company effective as of March 10, 2014.
In connection with his election as a director, Mr. Barberich received a stock option grant of 50,000 shares of the Company's common stock. Consistent with the Company's director compensation policy, Mr. Barberich will be eligible to receive certain annual cash retainer fees and an annual stock option grant of 25,000 shares of common stock. Mr. Barberich also entered into a customary indemnification agreement with the Company.
A press release announcing Mr. Barberich s appointment is filed as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.
Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.
See Exhibit Index attached hereto.
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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.

VERASTEM, INC.

Date: March 11, 2014 By:

/s/ John B. Green John B. Green Chief Financial Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated March 11, 2014.

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