

ARCA biopharma, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
June 09, 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): **June 9, 2014 (June 5, 2014)**

**ARCA biopharma, Inc.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**000-22873**  
(Commission File Number)

**36-3855489**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**11080 CirclePoint Road, Suite 140, Westminster, CO 80020**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

**(720) 940-2200**

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

**Not Applicable**

(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):

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- .. 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))

**Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders**

On June 5, 2014, the Company held its 2014 Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the 2014 Annual Meeting) at which the Company's stockholders voted upon (i) the election of Company nominees Dr. Michael R. Bristow and Mr. Robert E. Conway, to the Company's Board of Directors (the Board) for a three-year term ending at the 2017 Annual Meeting of Stockholders and (ii) the ratification of the selection of KPMG LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2014.

The stockholders elected both director nominees and ratified the selection of KPMG LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2014. The tabulation of votes cast with respect to each matter voted upon, as applicable, was as follows:

**1. Election of Directors**

| Nominee                         | For       | Withheld | Broker Non-Votes |
|---------------------------------|-----------|----------|------------------|
| Michael R. Bristow, M.D., Ph.D. | 3,698,688 | 119,242  | 10,028,926       |
| Robert E. Conway                | 3,707,261 | 110,669  | 10,028,926       |

**2. Ratification of the selection of KPMG LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2014**

| For        | Against | Abstentions | Broker Non-Votes |
|------------|---------|-------------|------------------|
| 13,763,868 | 72,354  | 10,634      |                  |

**Item 8.01 Other Events*****Appointment of Robert E. Conway as Chairman of the Board of Directors***

On June 5, 2014, the Board also appointed Mr. Conway as the Chairman of the Board of the Company. A copy of the press release relating to Mr. Conway's election is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1

**Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits****Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

| Exhibit Number | Description   |
|----------------|---|
| 99.1           | Press Release titled Robert E. Conway Elected Chairman of ARCA biopharma Board of Directors dated June 9, 2014. |

**SIGNATURES**

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: June 9, 2014

**ARCA biopharma, Inc.**

(Registrant)

By: /s/ Christopher D. Ozeroff

Name: Christopher D. Ozeroff

Title: Senior Vice President and General  
Counsel

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