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Spark Therapeutics, Inc.
Form 8-K
July 21, 2017

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): July 20, 2017

Spark Therapeutics, Inc.
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware 001-36819 46-2654405
(State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer
of Incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

3737 Market Street
Suite 1300 19104
Philadelphia, PA
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (888) 772-7560
(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):

- 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))

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in 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

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.

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On July 20, 2017, Spark Therapeutics, Inc., issued a press release announcing that the Offices of Orphan Products Development and Pediatric Therapeutics of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration have designated investigational LUXTURNA™ (voretigene neparvovec) as a drug for a rare pediatric disease.

A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Press release issued by Spark Therapeutics, Inc., dated July 20, 2017.

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.

SPARK THERAPEUTICS,
INC.

Date: July 21, 2017 By: /s/ Joseph W. La Barge
Joseph W. La Barge
Chief Legal Officer

Exhibit Index

Exhibit 99.1 Press release issued by Spark Therapeutics, Inc., dated July 20, 2017.