INNOVUS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

8845 Rehco Road, San Diego, CA

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (858) 964-5123

Form 8-K April 19, 2019 **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): April 18, 2019 INNOVUS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter) 000-52991 Nevada 90-0814124 (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

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the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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Emerging growth company
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In this report, "Innovus Pharmaceuticals," "Innovus Pharma," "the Company", "we," "us" and "our" refer to Innovus Pharmaceuticals, Inc., and/or one or more of our wholly-owned subsidiaries, unless the context otherwise provides. Innovus Pharma® is a registered service mark of Innovus Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

Item 8.01 – Other Events

On April 18, 2019, the Company issued a press release announcing that the U.S. Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") has approved abbreviated new drug application ("ANDA") No. 208024 for Fluticasone Propionate Nasal Spray USP, 50 mcg per spray (OTC) owned by Akorn, Inc. ("Akorn") (NASDAQ: AKRX). Innovus has a manufacturing and supply agreement with Akorn for the supply of FlutiCare®.

Flonase® (fluticasone propionate nasal spray USP, 50 mcg per spray) is indicated for the temporary relief of hay fever and other upper respiratory allergies in adult and pediatric patients 4 years of age and older.

In addition, Innovus Pharma announced that it has reached a sales milestone with its sale of at least 1,000 unites of FlutiCare® per day through its various sales channels.

The full text of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Item 9.01 -- Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit Number Description

99.1 Press release issued April 18, 2019.

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.

Date: April 18, 2019 INNOVUS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

By:/s/ Randy Berholtz
Executive Vice President,
Corporate Development and
General Counsel

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number Description

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