

XOMA Corp
Form 8-K
December 09, 2015

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): December 3, 2015

XOMA CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE
(State of

incorporation)

001-14710
(Commission

File No.)
XOMA Corporation

52-2154066
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

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2910 Seventh Street

Berkeley, CA 94710

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (510) 204-7200

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ITEM 1.01 ENTRY INTO A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT.

On December 3, 2015, XOMA (US) LLC (the Company or XOMA), as a successor-in-interest of XOMA Ireland Limited and Pfizer Inc. (Pfizer), entered into a settlement and amended license agreement (the Agreement), pursuant to which XOMA granted a fully-paid, royalty-free, worldwide, irrevocable, non-exclusive license rights to XOMA s patented bacterial cell expression (BCE) technology for phage display and other research, development and manufacturing of antibody products for an upfront, non-dilutive cash payment by Pfizer of \$3.8 million in full satisfaction of all obligations to XOMA under the 2007 Agreement (defined below), including but not limited to potential milestone, royalty and other fees under the 2007 Agreement.

Under the terms of the original License Agreement, effective as of August 27, 2007, by and between XOMA Ireland Limited and Pfizer Inc. (the 2007 Agreement), XOMA received an upfront, non-dilutive cash payment of \$30 million and was eligible for potential milestone, royalty and other fees on future sales of all products subject to this license, including products currently in late-stage clinical development.

The description of the Agreement contained herein does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the complete text of the Agreement, a copy of which will be filed as an exhibit to the Company s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the period ending December 31, 2015.

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: December 9, 2015

XOMA Corporation

By: /s/ Russell J. Wood
Russell J. Wood
Sr. Corporate Counsel and Corporate Secretary