CONCERT PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. Form 8-K April 10, 2018

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 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 10, 2018 Concert Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware001-3631020-4839882(State or Other Jurisdiction(Commission(IRS Employerof Incorporation)File Number)Identification No.)

99 Hayden Avenue, Suite 500
Lexington, Massachusetts02421(Address of Principal Executive Offices)(Zip Code)Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (781) 860-0045

(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 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company 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 ý

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. ý

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Item 8.01. Other Events.

Concert Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (the "Company") announced today that the Patent Trial and Appeal Board (PTAB) has granted the Request for Rehearing of the PTAB's Decision Denying Institution of the Inter Partes Review filed by Incyte Corporation against the Company's U.S. Patent No. 9,249,149. The Company believes in the validity of its patent and intends to vigorously defend the claims.

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.

Concert Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

By:/s/ Lynette HerschaDate: April 10, 2018Name: Lynette HerschaTitle: General Counsel