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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 29, 2015

NUVASIVE, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction **000-50744** (Commission

33-0768598 (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

7475 Lusk Boulevard, San Diego, California 92121

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

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(858) 909-1800

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

n/a

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On April 29, 2015, NuVasive, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing that it has reached an agreement in principle with the U.S. Department of Justice related to the previously disclosed subpoena issued to the Company in 2013 by the Office of Inspector General of the Department of Health and Human Services. A copy of this press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

NuVasive cautions you that statements included in this Current Report on Form 8-K that are not a description of historical facts are forward-looking statements that involve risks, uncertainties, assumptions and other factors which, if they do not materialize or prove correct, could cause NuVasive s results to differ materially from historical results or those expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. The potential risks and uncertainties which contribute to the uncertain nature of these statements include, among others, the risk that the Company is unable to finalize a written settlement agreement with the OIG and/or that the amount required to the United States in resolution of the above-referenced matter may increase, risks associated with litigation and/or regulatory enforcement actions which could cause the Company to incur significant legal expenses and/or prevent it from making, using or selling certain of the Company s products, risks associated with acceptance of the Company s minimally disruptive surgical products by spine surgeons, development and acceptance of new products or product enhancements, expansion of the Company s network of sales representatives, and the other risks and uncertainties described in NuVasive s news releases and periodic filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. NuVasive s public filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission are available at www.sec.gov. NuVasive assumes no obligation to update any forward-looking statement to reflect events or circumstances arising after the date on which it was made.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- 99.1 Press release issued by NuVasive, Inc. on April 29, 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.

NUVASIVE, INC.

Date: April 30, 2015 By: /s/ Jason Hannon

Jason Hannon

Executive Vice President & General Counsel

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1 Press release issued by NuVasive, Inc. on April 29, 2015.