

SAFEGUARD SCIENTIFICS INC  
Form 8-K  
March 15, 2016

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

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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) March 14, 2016

Safeguard Scientifics, Inc.  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Pennsylvania (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	1-5620 (Commission file number)	23-1609753 (I.R.S. Employer ID No.)
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170 North Radnor-Chester Road Suite 200 Radnor, PA (Address of principal executive offices)	19087 (Zip Code)
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code Not applicable (Former name of former address, if changed since last report)	610-293-0600
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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 March 15, 2016, Safeguard Scientifics, Inc. (the “Company”) issued a press release announcing that the Company’s partner company, Putney, Inc., signed a definitive agreement to be acquired by Dechra Holdings US Inc., a subsidiary of Dechra Pharmaceuticals Plc. 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 this reference.

ITEM 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release of Safeguard Scientifics, Inc. dated March 15, 2016.

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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.

Safeguard Scientifics, Inc.

Dated: March 15, 2016

By: /s/ BRIAN J. SSKO  
Brian J. Sisko  
Chief Operating Officer, Executive Vice  
President and Managing Director



EXHIBIT INDEX

99.1 Press Release of Safeguard Scientifics, Inc. dated March 15, 2016