CATALYST PHARMACEUTICAL PARTNERS, INC. Form 8-K December 17, 2014

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 16, 2014

CATALYST PHARMACEUTICAL PARTNERS, INC.

(Exact Name Of Registrant As Specified In Its Charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction 001-33057 (Commission 76-0837053 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

355 Alhambra Circle

33134

Suite 1500

Coral Gables, Florida (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (305) 529-2522

Not Applicable

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:

- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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 December 16, 2014, the Company announced the death of Hubert E. Huckel, M.D., a founding shareholder and director of the Company since January 2002. A copy of the Company s press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Board member Charles B. O Keeffe has been named to replace Dr. Huckel on the Company s Audit Committee. All three members of the Audit Committee, which now consists of Philip Coelho (Chairman), David Tierney and Mr. O Keeffe, are independent directors under the rules of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Nasdaq Stock Market.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits
- 99.1 Press release issued by the Company on December 16, 2014.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Catalyst Pharmaceutical Partners, Inc.

By: /s/ Alicia Grande Alicia Grande Vice President, Treasurer and CFO

Dated: December 17, 2014

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