# 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): May 11, 2016

# **AKERS BIOSCIENCES, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New Jersey

333-190456

22-2983783

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer

Identification No.)

201 Grove Road

<u>Thorofare, NJ 080086</u> (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(856) 848-2116

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

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

#### Item 5.03 Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

On May 11, 2016, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of the Akers Biosciences, Inc. (the "Company") amended our Amended and Restated By-Laws (the "By-Laws") to reduce the quorum for a meeting of the stockholders, from holders of 40% in voting power of the outstanding shares of stock to the holders of 33.34% in voting power of the outstanding shares of stock (the "Amendment"). The reason for the Amendment is primarily to be able to obtain a quorum and conduct business at shareholder meetings.

The foregoing descriptions of the Amendment does not purport to be complete and is subject to, and qualified in its entirety by, the Amendment, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 3.6, and incorporated herein by reference.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

### (d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description
3.6*	Amendment to Amended and Restated By-Laws, dated May 11, 2016.

\* Filed herewith

### 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.

## AKERS BIOSCIENCES, INC.

Date: May 18, 2016

By: /s/ John Gormally John Gormally

Chief Executive Officer

#### AMENDMENT TO

#### AMENDED AND RESTATED BY-LAWS OF

### AKERS BIOSCIENCES, INC.

#### (Effective as of May 11, 2016)

Section 2.5 is hereby amended and restated in its entirety as follows:

"Section 2.5. Quorum. Except as otherwise provided in these By-Laws or the Certificate of Incorporation, the holders of thirty-three and 34/100 percent (33.34%) of the outstanding shares in such class or series must in addition be represented, either in person or by proxy, to constitute a quorum for the transaction of such items of business. The withdrawal of any shareholder after the commencement of a meeting shall have no effect on the existence of a quorum, after a quorum has been established at such meeting. If, however, such quorum shall not be present or represented at any meeting of shareholders, the shareholders entitled to vote thereat, present in person or represented by proxy, shall have power to adjourn the meeting from time to time, without notice other than announcement at the meeting, until a quorum shall be present or represented. At such adjourned meeting at which a quorum shall be present or represented, any business may be transacted which might have been transacted at the meeting, or if the adjournment is for more than thirty (30) days, a notice of such adjourned meeting shall be given as provided in Section 2.4 of these By-Laws."