
**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): **August 14, 2017**

**Spotlight Innovation
Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its
charter)

<u>Nevada</u> (State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation)	<u>000-52542</u> (Commission File Number)	<u>98 0518266</u> (IRS Employer Identification No.)
<u>11147 Aurora Avenue</u> <u>Aurora Business Park, Building 3</u> <u>Urbandale, Iowa</u> (Address of principal executive offices)		<u>50322</u> (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(515) 274 9087**

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a 12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a 12)
- Pre commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d 2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d 2(b))
- 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 1933 (§240.12b -2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

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.

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On August 14, 2017, Spotlight Innovation Inc. (the “Company”) entered into a Sponsored Research Agreement (the “Agreement”) with The Trustees of Indiana University (“IU”) to support research directed by IU professor Dr. Elliot Androphy aimed at developing safe and effective drugs to treat patients with spinal muscular atrophy. Dr. Androphy is a member of the Company’s scientific advisory board.

The Company will provide to IU an aggregate of \$75,000 in funding support for the research project. The Company shall sponsor IU’s research project for a period of one (1) year, unless sooner terminated by either party upon forty-five days advance written notice pursuant to the terms of the Agreement.

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.

SPOTLIGHT INNOVATION INC.

Dated: August 14, 2017

By: /s/ John William Pim

John William Pim
Chief Financial Officer