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: October 19, 2016 (Date of earliest event reported)

ENTEROMEDICS INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 1-33818

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

48-1293684 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

2800 Patton Road, St. Paul, Minnesota 55113 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(651) 634-3003 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} Not Applicable \\ (Former name or former address, if changed since last report) \\ \end{tabular}$

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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 October 19, 2016, EnteroMedics Inc. announced that it is canceling its special meeting of stockholders scheduled for 3:00 p.m., Central Time on October 19, 2016 (the "Special Meeting") due to a lack of a sufficent number of votes in favor of Proposals 1 and 2 to be voted on at the Special Meeting.

SIGNATURE

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.

ENTEROMEDICS INC.

By: /s/ Scott Youngstrom

Scott Youngstrom Chief Financial Officer and Chief Compliance Officer

Date: October 19, 2016