# 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 15, 2018

## RESHAPE LIFESCIENCES INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

1-33818

**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

**48-1293684** (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

1001 Calle Amanecer San Clemente, CA (Address of principal executive offices)

**92673** (Zip Code)

(949) 429-6680 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

#### 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:

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o 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 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company o

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. o

#### Item 3.01 Notice of Delisting or Failure to Satisfy a Continued Listing Rule or Standard; Transfer of Listing.

On May 15, 2018, ReShape Lifesciences Inc. (the "Company") received a written notice (the "Bid Price Notice") from the Listing Qualifications department (the "Nasdaq Staff") of The Nasdaq Stock Market ("Nasdaq") indicating that the Company is not in compliance with the \$1.00 minimum bid price requirement set forth in Nasdaq Listing Rule 5550(a)(2) for continued listing on the Nasdaq Capital Market.

The Nasdaq Listing Rules require listed securities to maintain a minimum bid price of \$1.00 per share and, based upon the closing bid price for the last 30 consecutive business days, the Company no longer meets this requirement. The Bid Price Notice indicated that the Company will be provided 180 calendar days in which to regain compliance. If at any time during this period the bid price of the Company's common stock closes at or above \$1.00 per share for a minimum of ten consecutive business days, the Nasdaq Staff will provide the Company with a written confirmation of compliance and the matter will be closed.

In the event the Company does not regain compliance with Rule 5550(a)(2) prior to the expiration of the 180 calendar day period, the Nasdaq Staff will provide the Company with written notification that its securities are subject to delisting from the Nasdaq Capital Market. At that time, the Company may appeal the delisting determination to a Hearings Panel.

Alternatively, if the Company fails to regain compliance with Rule 5550(a)(2) prior to the expiration of the 180 calendar day period, but meets the continued listing requirement for market value of publicly held shares and all of the other applicable standards for initial listing on The Nasdaq Capital Market, with the

exception of the minimum bid price, and provides written notice of its intention to cure the deficiency during the second compliance period by effecting a reverse stock split, if necessary, then the Company may be granted an additional 180 calendar days to regain compliance with Rule 5550(a)(2).

The Company intends to actively monitor its performance with respect to the listing standards and will consider available options to resolve the deficiency and regain compliance with the Nasdaq rules. In particular, at its annual meeting of stockholders scheduled to be held on May 23, 2018, the Company will be submitting a proposal to its stockholders to authorize the Company's Board of Directors to amend the Company's Sixth Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation, as amended, to effect a reverse split of the Company's issued and outstanding shares of common stock at a ratio of between 1-for-8 and 1-for-15, inclusive, which ratio will be selected at the sole discretion of the Company's Board of Directors at any whole number in the above range. If the Company's stockholders approve the reverse stock split, the Company may determine to proceed with a reverse stock split in the above range in order to regain compliance with the Nasdaq rules. However, even if the Company's stockholders approve the reverse stock split, the Company's Board of Directors may abandon the reverse stock split in its sole discretion.

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#### **SIGNATURES**

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

#### RESHAPE LIFESCIENCES INC.

By: /s/ Scott P. Youngstrom

Scott P. Youngstrom Chief Financial Officer

Dated: May 18, 2018