

Mirati Therapeutics, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
April 25, 2019

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): April 22, 2019

MIRATI THERAPEUTICS, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware                      001-35921                      46-2693615  
(State of incorporation) (Commission File No.) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

9393 Towne Centre Drive, Suite 200  
San Diego, California 92121  
(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (858) 332-3410

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 or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

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.

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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers;  
Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

(b) In February 2019, Mirati Therapeutics, Inc. (the “Company”) disclosed that Rodney W. Lappe, Ph.D. did not intend to stand for reelection to the Company’s Board of Directors (the “Board”) at the Company’s 2019 Annual Meeting of Stockholders. On April 22, 2019, Dr. Lappe notified the Company of his decision to resign as a member of the Board, effective immediately. Dr. Lappe’s resignation is not the result of a disagreement with the Company on any matter relating to the Company’s operations, policies or practices.

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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.

Date: April 25, 2019 MIRATI  
THERAPEUTICS, INC.

By: /s/ Charles  
M. Baum  
Charles  
M. Baum  
President  
and Chief  
Executive  
Officer