CTI BIOPHARMA CORP Form SC 13D December 11, 2015

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D (Rule 13d-101)

# INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO § 240.13d-1(a) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO § 240.13d-2(a)

(Amendment No. )1

CTI BioPharma Corp.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, no par value per share (Title of Class of Securities)

87611R306 (CUSIP Number)

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(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person

Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

December 9, 2015 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of This Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of  $\S\S 240.13d-1(e)$ , 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g), check the following box x.

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respect to	the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter
disclosure	es provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

### CUSIP NO. 87611R306

1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON			
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4	SOURCE OF FUNDS			
5	WC CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS " IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)			
6	CITIZENSHIP	OR PLACE OF	PLACE OF ORGANIZATION	
NUMBER OF SHARES	DELAWARE	7	SOLE VOTING POWER	
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH		8	- 0 - SHARED VOTING POWER	
REPORTING PERSON WITH		9	14,897,559 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
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11	AGGREGATE	AMOUNT BEN	14,897,559 EFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH	REPORTING PERSON
12	14,897,559 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) o EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES			
13	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)			
14	5.3% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON			
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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON			
2 3	BIOTECHNOLOGY VALUE FUND II, L.P. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (b) o SEC USE ONLY			
4	SOURCE OF FUNDS			
5	WC CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS " IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)			
6	CITIZENSHIP	OR PLACE OF O	ORGANIZATION	
NUMBER OF SHARES	DELAWARE	7	SOLE VOTING POWER	
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH		8	- 0 - SHARED VOTING POWER	
REPORTING PERSON WITH		9	8,673,040 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
		10	- 0 - SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWE	R
11	AGGREGATE	AMOUNT BEN	8,673,040 EFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH	REPORTING PERSON
12	8,673,040 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) o EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES			
13	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)			
14	3.1% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON			
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NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

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2	BIOTECHNOLOGY VALUE TRADING FUND OS LP CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A (a) x GROUP (b) o			
3	SEC USE ONLY			
4	SOURCE OF FUNDS			
5	WC 5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS " IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)			
6	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF	ORGANIZATION		
NUMBER OF SHARES	CAYMAN ISLANDS 7	SOLE VOTING POWER		
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH	8	- 0 - SHARED VOTING POWER		
REPORTING PERSON WITH	9	3,028,518 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER		
	10	- 0 - SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWE	R	
11	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BEN	3,028,518 IEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH	REPORTING PERSON	
12	3,028,518 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGRE EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHAR	GATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) ES	0	
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2	BVF PARTNERS OS LTD.  CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A  GROUP  (b) o  SEC USE ONLY			
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6	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF	ORGANIZATION		
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BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH	8	- 0 - SHARED VOTING POWER		
REPORTING PERSON WITH	9	3,028,518 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER		
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11	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BEN	3,028,518 NEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH	REPORTING PERSON	
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2 3	BVF PARTNERS L.P. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (b) o SEC USE ONLY			
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6	CITIZENSHIP O	R PLACE OF C	ORGANIZATION	
NUMBER OF SHARES	DELAWARE 7		SOLE VOTING POWER	
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH	8		- 0 - SHARED VOTING POWER	
REPORTING PERSON WITH	9		43,795,613 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
	10		- 0 - SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWE	R
11	AGGREGATE A		43,795,613 EFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH	REPORTING PERSON
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14	15.5% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON			
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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

BVF INC.

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- 3 SEC USE ONLY
- 4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

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- 6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

**DELAWARE** 

NUMBER OF	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES		
BENEFICIALLY		- 0 -
OWNED BY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
EACH		
REPORTING		43,795,613
PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

In the event that any FINRA member participates in a public offering of these debt securities the underwriting discounts and commissions on debt securities sold in the initial distribution will not exceed 8% of the offering proceeds.

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#### INTERESTS OF EXPERTS

Ernst & Young LLP, Chartered Accountants, Toronto, Ontario, is the external auditor who prepared the Auditors Report to Shareholders with respect to the consolidated balance sheet of the Bank as at October 31, 2009 and the consolidated statements of income, changes in shareholders equity and comprehensive income and cash flows for the year then ended. Ernst & Young LLP is independent with respect to the Bank within the meaning of the Rules of Professional Conduct of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Ontario, and the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board, United States.

#### **LEGAL MATTERS**

Unless otherwise specified in the prospectus supplement, certain legal matters relating to the debt securities offered by a prospectus supplement will be passed upon, on behalf of the Bank, by McCarthy Tétrault LLP, Toronto, Ontario and Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP, New York, New York.

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### LIMITATIONS ON ENFORCEMENT OF U.S. LAWS AGAINST THE BANK, OUR MANAGEMENT AND OTHERS

We are a Canadian chartered bank. Many of our directors and executive officers, including many of the persons who signed the Registration Statement on Form F-9, of which this prospectus is a part, and some of the experts named in this document, are resident outside the United States, and a substantial portion of our assets and all or a substantial portion of the assets of such persons are located outside the United States. As a result, it may be difficult for you to effect service of process within the United States upon such persons to enforce against them judgments of the courts of the United States predicated upon, among other things, the civil liability provisions of the federal securities laws of the United States. In addition, it may be difficult for you to enforce, in original actions brought in courts in jurisdictions located outside the United States, among other things, civil liabilities predicated upon such securities laws.

We have been advised by our Canadian counsel, McCarthy Tétrault LLP, that a judgment of a United States court may be enforceable in Canada if: (a) there is a real and substantial connection between the events, persons and circumstances and the United States proceedings such that the United States court properly assumed jurisdiction; (b) the United States judgment is final and conclusive; (c) the defendant was properly served with originating process from the United States court; and (d) the United States law that led to the judgment is not contrary to Canadian public policy, as that term would be applied by a Canadian court. We are advised that in normal circumstances, only civil judgments and not other rights arising from United States securities legislation (for example, penal or similar awards made by a court in a regulatory prosecution or proceeding) are enforceable in Canada. The enforceability of a United States judgment in Canada will be subject to the requirements that: (i) an action to enforce the United States judgment must be commenced in the Ontario Court within any applicable limitation period; (ii) the Ontario Court has discretion to stay or decline to hear an action on the United States judgment if the United States judgment is under appeal or there is another subsisting judgment in any jurisdiction relating to the same cause of action; (iii) the Ontario Court will render judgment only in Canadian dollars; and (iv) an action in the Ontario Court on the United States judgment may be affected by bankruptcy, insolvency or other laws of general application limiting the enforcement of creditors rights generally. The enforceability of a United States judgment in Canada will be subject to the following defenses: (i) the United States judgment was obtained by fraud or in a manner contrary to the principles of natural justice; (ii) the United States judgment is for a claim which under Ontario law would be characterized as

based on a foreign revenue, expropriatory, penal or other public law; (iii) the United States judgment is contrary to Ontario public policy or to an order made by the Attorney General of Canada under the *Foreign Extraterritorial Measures Act* (Canada) or by the Competition Tribunal under the *Competition Act* (Canada) in respect of certain judgments referred to in these statutes; and (iv) the United States judgment has been satisfied or is void or voidable under United States law.

#### DOCUMENTS FILED AS PART OF THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT

The following documents have been filed with the SEC as part of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part: the documents listed in (a) (d) under Documents Incorporated by Reference; the Indenture; the Statement of Eligibility of Trustee; consents of Ernst & Young LLP; consent of McCarthy Tétrault LLP; Powers of Attorney; and Certified Resolution of the Board of Directors.

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# PART II INFORMATION NOT REQUIRED TO BE DELIVERED TO OFFEREES OR PURCHASERS

#### **Indemnification of Directors and Officers**

Under the Bank Act, the Bank may not, by contract, resolution or by-law, limit the liability of its directors for breaches of their fiduciary duties. However, except in respect of an action by or on behalf of the Bank to procure a judgment in its favor, the Bank may indemnify a director or officer, a former director or officer or a person who acts or acted at the Bank s request as a director or officer of or in a similar capacity for another entity, and his or her heirs and legal representatives, against all costs, charges and expenses, including an amount paid to settle an action or satisfy a judgment, reasonably incurred by him or her because of any civil, criminal, administrative, investigative or other proceeding to which he or she is involved by reason of being or having been associated with the bank or the entity, if:

- (1) that person acted honestly and in good faith with a view to the best interests of the Bank; or the other entity, as the case may be, and
- (2) in the case of a criminal or administrative action or proceeding that is enforced by a monetary penalty, that person had reasonable grounds for believing that his or her conduct was lawful.

These individuals are entitled to an indemnity from the Bank if the person was not judged by the court or other competent authority to have committed any fault or omitted to do anything that they ought to have done and fulfilled the conditions set out in (1) and (2) above. The Bank may also advance amounts to the director, officer or other person for the costs, charges and expenses of a proceeding referred to above, provided such amounts are repaid if the conditions set out in (1) and (2) above are not satisfied. The Bank may, with the approval of a court, also indemnify or advance funds to that person regarding an action by or on behalf of the Bank to procure a judgment in its favor, to which the person is made a party by reason of being or having been a director or officer of the company or entity, if he or she fulfills the conditions set out in (1) and (2) above.

The Bank s by-laws provide that subject to the limitations contained in the Bank Act, but without limit to the right of the Bank to indemnify or advance funds to any person under the Bank Act or otherwise, the Bank will indemnify a director or officer or a former director or officer, or a person who acts or acted at the Bank s request as a director or officer or in a similar capacity of a body corporate, and such person s heirs and legal representatives, against all costs, charges and expenses, including an amount paid to settle an action or satisfy a judgment reasonably incurred by such person in respect of any civil, criminal, administrative, investigative or other proceeding to which such person is made a

party by reason of being or having been a director or officer of the Bank or such body corporate if: (i) such person acted honestly and in good faith with a view to the best interests of the Bank or the other entity, as the case may be; and (ii) in the case of a criminal or administrative action or proceeding that is enforced by a monetary penalty, such person had reasonable grounds for believing that such person s conduct was lawful. These indemnification provisions could be construed to permit or require indemnification for certain liabilities arising out of U.S. federal securities laws. Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the Securities Act ) may be permitted to directors, officers or persons controlling the Bank pursuant to the foregoing provisions, the Bank has been informed that in the opinion of the SEC such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and is therefore unenforceable.

The Bank maintains directors and officers liability insurance policies providing for the insurance on behalf of any person who is or was a director or officer of the Bank and subsidiary companies against any liability incurred by him or her in any such capacity or arising out of his or her status as such.

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#### **Exhibits**

- 4.1 Annual Information Form of the Registrant dated December 2, 2009 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 99.1 to The Toronto-Dominion Bank s Form 40-F filed on December 3, 2009, File No. 001-14446).
- 4.2 The consolidated audited financial statements for the fiscal year ended October 31, 2009 with comparative consolidated financial statements for the fiscal year ended October 31, 2008, together with the auditors report thereon and Management s Discussion and Analysis (incorporated by reference to Exhibits 99.2 and 99.3 to The Toronto-Dominion Bank s Form 40-F filed on December 3, 2009, File No. 001-14446).
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- 5.1 Consent of Ernst & Young LLP.
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- 7.1 Indenture between The Toronto-Dominion Bank and The Bank of New York Mellon (as successor in interest to The Bank of New York) dated June 30, 2006 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 7.1 to The Toronto-Dominion Bank s Registration Statement on form F-9 filed on May 29, 2008 (File No. 333-151254)).
- 7.2 Statement of Eligibility of Trustee.\*
- 24.1 Powers of Attorney. \*
- 24.2 Certified Resolution of the Board of Directors.
- \* Previously filed.

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# PART III UNDERTAKING AND CONSENT TO SERVICE OF PROCESS

#### Item 1. Undertaking.

The Registrant undertakes to make available, in person or by telephone, representatives to respond to inquiries made by the Commission staff, and to furnish promptly, when requested to do so by the Commission staff, information relating to the securities registered pursuant to this Form F-9 or to transactions in said securities.

#### Item 2. Consent to Service of Process.

The Registrant and the Trustee with respect to the debt securities registered hereby have each filed with the Commission an Appointment of Agent for Service of Process and Undertaking on Form F-X with the original filing of this Registration Statement.

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the Registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form F-9 and has duly caused this Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Toronto, Province of Ontario, country of Canada, on this 7th day of July, 2010.

The Toronto-Dominion Bank

By: /s/ Christopher A. Montague

Name: Christopher A.

Montague
Title: Executive Vice

President and General Counsel

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, this Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement has been signed below by or on behalf of the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated:

Name	Title	Date
* W. Edmund Clark	President, Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)	July 7, 2010
* Colleen M. Johnston	Group Head, Finance and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)	July 7, 2010
* Kelvin Tran	Senior Vice President and Chief Accountant (Principal Accounting Officer)	July 7, 2010
*	Chairman of the Board	July 7, 2010
John M. Thompson		
*	Director	July 7, 2010
William E. Bennett		
*	Director	July 7, 2010
Hugh J. Bolton		
*	Director	July 7, 2010
John L. Bragg		
*	Director	July 7, 2010
Wendy K. Dobson		
*	Director	July 7, 2010
Henry H. Ketcham		
*	Director	July 7, 2010
Pierre H. Lessard		

*	Director	July 7, 2010
Brian M. Levitt		
*	Director	July 7, 2010
Harold H. MacKay		
*	Director	July 7, 2010
Irene R. Miller		
*	Director	July 7, 2010
Nadir H. Mohamed		
*	Director	July 7, 2010
Wilbur J. Prezzano		
*	Director	July 7, 2010
Helen K. Sinclair		
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Name	Title	Date	
*	Director	July 7, 2010	
Carole S. Taylor			
* Brendan O Halloran	Authorized Representative in the United States	July 7, 2010	
* By /s/ Christopher A.  Montague Christopher A.  Montague Attorney in Fact			
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