INTERCEPT PHARMACEUTICALS INC Form 8-K

April 08, 2016

**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 7, 2016

INTERCEPT PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-35668 22-3868459

(state or other jurisdiction (Commission (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

450 W. 15th Street, Suite 505

10011

New York, New York

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (646) 747-1000

(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):

<sup>&</sup>quot;Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

<sup>&</sup>quot;Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

<sup>&</sup>quot;Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

<sup>&</sup>quot;Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

### Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On April 7, 2016, Intercept Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ("Intercept" or the "Company"), issued a press release announcing that the U.S. Food and Drug Administration's Gastrointestinal Drugs Advisory Committee voted unanimously (17 to 0) to recommend the accelerated approval of Ocaliva<sup>TM</sup> (obeticholic acid) for the treatment of patients with primary biliary cirrhosis, recently renamed primary biliary cholangitis.

A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

In accordance with General Instruction B-2 of Form 8-K, the information set forth in or incorporated by reference into this Item 7.01 shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liability of that section, and shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

## **Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits.

#### Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated April 7, 2016\*

<sup>\*</sup>Exhibit 99.1 is furnished as part of this Current Report on Form 8-K.

# **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.

INTERCEPT PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

Dated: April 7, 2016 /s/ Mark Pruzanski

Mark Pruzanski, M.D.

President and Chief Executive Officer