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ENANTA PHARMACEUTICALS INC Form 8-K December 14, 2015

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): December 9, 2015

ENANTA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-35839 04-3205099 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer

of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

500 Arsenal Street, Watertown, Massachusetts 02472

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(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(617) 607-0800

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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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.

Enanta Pharmaceuticals, Inc. announced that its Board of Directors has elected Bruce L.A. Carter, Ph.D., as the non-executive Chairman of the Board of Enanta. Dr. Carter has been an independent director of Enanta since November 2013.

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: December 14, 2015 ENANTA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

By: /s/ Paul J. Mellett Paul J. Mellett

Senior Vice President, Finance and Administration

and Chief Financial Officer