RIGEL PHARMACEUTICALS INC Form 8-K February 01, 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): January 31, 2019

RIGEL PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

0-29889 (Commission File No.)

94-3248524

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

1180 Veterans Boulevard

South San Francisco, CA

(Address of principal executive offices)

94080

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (650) 624-1100

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- 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 5.02 Certain Offic	Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of cers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.
(e)	
Incentive Plan	2019, the Board of Directors of Rigel Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (the <u>Company</u>) approved the 2019 Cash Incentive Plan (the), pursuant to which the Company s named executive officers and other employees may become entitled to cash bonus payment tent of specified corporate performance goals. A copy of the Incentive Plan is attached as Exhibit 10.1 hereto and is incorporated ace.
Item 9.01	Financial Statements and Exhibits.
(d)	Exhibits.
Exhibit 10.1	Description 2019 Cash Incentive Plan
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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.

Dated: February 1, 2019 RIGEL PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

By: /s/ Dolly A. Vance Dolly A. Vance

 $\label{thm:constraint} \textit{Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate}$

Secretary

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