
**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**

**June 15, 2011
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)**

GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

NEVADA
**(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)**

000-32877
**(Commission
File Number)**

04-3562325
**(IRS Employer
Identification No.)**

**7 WELLS AVENUE
NEWTON, MASSACHUSETTS
02459**
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(617) 559-0033
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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):

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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 8.01 Other Events

Attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 is a press release issued on June 15, 2011 by Galectin Therapeutics Inc. announcing that FINRA has approved the change of the Company's stock trading symbol to "GALT" effective at the opening of trading on June 16, 2011.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Exhibit Description</u>
99.1	Press release dated June 15, 2011

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.

Galectin Therapeutics Inc.

By: /s/ Anthony D. Squeglia
Anthony D. Squeglia
Chief Financial Officer

Date: June 15, 2011



Galectin Therapeutics Announces New Stock Trading Symbol "GALT"

Newton, MA – June 15, 2011 – Galectin Therapeutics Inc. (OTC: GALT) today announced that the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA) approved the change in the Company's stock symbol from "PRWP" to "GALT" effective tomorrow, June 16, 2011. The new stock symbol mirrors the change in the Company's name to Galectin Therapeutics which was chosen to more accurately reflect our core expertise in galectin science and leading platform for the creation of galectin inhibitors to treat serious disease including fibrosis and cancer.

About Galectin Therapeutics

Galectin Therapeutics (OTC: GALT) is developing promising carbohydrate-based therapies for fibrotic liver disease and cancer based on the Company's unique understanding of galectin proteins, key mediators of biologic function. We are leveraging extensive scientific and development expertise as well as established relationships with external sources to achieve cost effective and efficient development. We are pursuing a clear development pathway to clinical enhancement and commercialization for our lead compounds in liver fibrosis and cancer. Additional information is available at www.galectintherapeutics.com

Forward Looking Statements

This press release contains, in addition to historical information, forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements relate to future events or future financial performance, and use words such as "may," "estimate," "could," "expect" and others. They are based on our current expectations and are subject to factors and uncertainties which could cause actual results to differ materially from those described in the statements. Factors that could cause our actual performance to differ materially from those discussed in the forward-looking statements include, among others: incurrence of operating losses since our inception, uncertainty as to adequate financing of our operations, extensive and costly regulatory oversight that could restrict or prevent product commercialization, inability to achieve commercial product acceptance, inability to protect our intellectual property, dependence on strategic partnerships, product competition, and others stated in risk factors contained in our SEC filings. We cannot assure that we have identified all risks or that others may emerge which we do not anticipate. You should not place undue reliance on forward-looking statements. Although subsequent events may cause our views to change, we disclaim any obligation to update forward-looking statements.

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