LEXICON PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. Form 8-K April 21, 2017

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 20, 2017

Lexicon Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware000-3011176-0474169(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)(Commission File Number)(I.R.S. Employer
Identification Number)

8800 Technology Forest Place The Woodlands, Texas 77381 (Address of principal executive offices and Zip Code)

(281) 863-3000 (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 obligations of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

oWritten 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)

oPre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d 2(b)) oPre-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

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Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

On April 20, 2017, our wholly-owned subsidiary, Lex-Gen Woodlands, L.P. ("Lex-Gen Woodlands"), entered into a Sixth Amendment to Loan and Security Agreement and to Other Loan Documents (the "Amendment") with iStar Lex Lender LLC ("Lender"), amending the terms of the Loan and Security Agreement, dated April 21, 2004, between Lex-Gen Woodlands and iStar Financial, Inc. ("iStar"), as previously amended (the "Loan Agreement") and certain other related agreements. The rights and obligations of iStar under the Loan Agreement had previously been assigned to Lender.

The Amendment (a) extends the maturity date of the mortgage on our facilities in The Woodlands, Texas from April 2017 to April 2018, (b) obligates us to make certain exit interest payments in the event we prepay the mortgage loan prior to October 10, 2017 and (c) provides that we will maintain liquid assets of at least \$50 million. Under the Amendment, the mortgage loan's monthly payment amount and fixed interest rate are each unchanged and a balloon payment of \$13.4 million will be due in April 2018 in lieu of the balloon payment of \$15.2 million which was previously due in April 2017.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d)	Exhibits
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No.Description10.1Sixth Amendment to Loan and Security Agreement and to Other Loan Documents, dated April 20, 2017,
between Lex-Gen Woodlands, L.P. and iStar Lex Lender LLC

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

Lexicon Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

Date: April 21, 2017 By:/s/ Brian T. Crum Brian T. Crum Vice President and General Counsel

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