

**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): June 10, 2015

**VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED**

*(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)*

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

**000-19319**  
*(Commission File Number)*

**04-3039129**  
*(IRS Employer Identification No.)*

**50 Northern Avenue**  
**Boston, Massachusetts 02210**  
*(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)*

**(617) 341-6100**  
*(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))

**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On June 10, 2015, Dr. Wayne Riley announced that he will resign from our board of directors, effective June 30, 2015, in order to focus on his duties as President of the American College of Physicians.

**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.

**VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED**

(Registrant)

Date: June 12, 2015

/s/ Michael J. LaCascia

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Michael J. LaCascia

Vice President and Interim General Counsel