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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

April 1, 2014

Date of Report

(Date of earliest event reported)

DURECT CORPORATION

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

000-31615 (Commission

94-3297098 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation or organization)

File Number)

Identification No.)

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10260 Bubb Road

Cupertino, CA 95014

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

(408) 777-1417

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

(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:

- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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.

On April 1, 2014, DURECT Corporation, a Delaware corporation (<u>DUREC</u>T), issued a press release announcing POSIDUR (SABER-Bupivacaine) data presentations at the 39th Annual American Society of Regional Anesthetic and Pain Medicine Meeting. A copy of DURECT s press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release of DURECT Corporation dated April 1, 2014

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: April 1, 2014

DURECT Corporation

By: /s/ Matthew J. Hogan Matthew J. Hogan Chief Financial Officer

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INDEX TO EXHIBITS

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1 Press Release of DURECT Corporation dated April 1, 2014