

SPHERIX INC  
Form 8-K  
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**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): August 2, 2016

**SPHERIX INCORPORATED**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware	0-5576	52-0849320
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)

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One Rockefeller Plaza, 11th Floor

10020

New York, NY

(Address of principal executive  
offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 745-1374

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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

### **Item 7.01 Regulation FD**

On March 11, 2016, Spherix Incorporated (the “Company”) entered into a collaboration agreement with Equitable IP Corporation, a leading patent enforcement and monetization fund, as amended in April and May 2016 (collectively, the “Equitable Agreement”), to enhance its monetization efforts in connection with a portion of Spherix's patent portfolio, as previously disclosed by the Company in press releases dated March 8, 2016 and May 25, 2016, and as referenced in the Company’s quarterly report on Form 10-Q filed May 16, 2016.

The Equitable Agreement may require us to take a loss on sale or transfer of patents or an impairment charge with respect to the intangible assets set forth on our balance sheet, and such loss on sale or transfer of patents or impairment charge may be material.

The foregoing descriptions of the Equitable Agreement does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Equitable Agreement (as amended), which is filed as Exhibit 1.1. hereto, which is incorporated herein by reference. The March 8, 2016 and May 25, 2016 press releases are respectively filed as Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2 hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

### **Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits.

1.1 Equitable IP Collaboration Agreement, dated as of March 11, 2016 by and between Spherix Incorporated and Equitable IP Corporation, as amended April 22, 2016, April 27, 2016 and May 22, 2016.

99.1 Company Press Release, dated March 8, 2016

99.2 Company Press Release, dated May 25, 2016

**SIGNATURE**

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.

Spherix Incorporated

Date: August 2, 2016 By: /s/ Anthony Hayes  
Name: Anthony Hayes  
Title: Chief Executive Officer