

**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) **October 9, 2014**

Tekmira Pharmaceuticals Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

British Columbia, Canada
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

001-34949
(Commission File Number)

980597776
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**100-8900 Glenlyon Parkway
Burnaby, British Columbia
Canada**
(Address of principal executive offices)

V5J 5J8
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(604) 419-3200**

(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:

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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.

On October 9, 2014 the Registrant issued a press release, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1. Press release dated October 9, 2014

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.

Tekmira Pharmaceuticals Corporation

(Registrant)

/s/ **BRUCE G. COUSINS**

October 9, 2014

(Date)

Bruce G. Cousins

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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99.1 Press release dated October 9, 2014

Tekmira to Present HBV Pre-Clinical Data at Meeting of the Oligonucleotide Therapeutics Society

VANCOUVER, British Columbia, Oct. 9, 2014 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Tekmira Pharmaceuticals Corporation (Nasdaq:TKMR) (TSX:TKM), a leading developer of RNA interference (RNAi) therapeutics, today announced that Dr. Ian MacLachlan, Tekmira's Executive Vice President and Chief Technical Officer, will present preclinical data for TKM-HBV, the Company's product candidate targeting hepatitis B virus, at the 10th Annual Meeting of the Oligonucleotide Therapeutics Society. The presentation will take place on Wednesday, October 15, 2014 at 12 pm (PT) / 3 pm (ET) in San Diego at The Hilton San Diego Resort and Spa.

Presentation Information

On October 15, the Company will be issuing a press release highlighting key components of the presentation. The presentation will also be available after the podium event on Tekmira's website in the events section at www.tekmira.com.

About Tekmira

Tekmira Pharmaceuticals Corporation is a biopharmaceutical company focused on advancing novel RNAi therapeutics and providing its leading lipid nanoparticle (LNP) delivery technology to pharmaceutical partners. Tekmira has been working in the field of nucleic acid delivery for over a decade and has broad intellectual property covering LNPs. Further information about Tekmira can be found at www.tekmira.com. Tekmira is based in Vancouver, B.C. Canada.

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