# 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): May 28, 2015

## **XBIOTECH INC.**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

British Columbia, Canada (State of Incorporation)

001-37347

(Commission File Number)

N/A (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

8201 E Riverside Dr. Bldg 4, Ste 100 Austin, Texas (Address of principal executive offices)

**78744** (Zip Code)

(512) 386-2900

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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### Item 8.01 Other Events.

On May 28, 2015, XBiotech Inc. (the "Company"), announced that the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has lifted its clinical hold from the Company's IND, enabling the launch of its Phase 1/2 study of an investigational therapy for *S. aureus* infections. XBiotech was placed on clinical hold by the FDA while it worked with the agency to prepare its therapy and manufacturing process for human studies. XBiotech will now begin enrollment of approximately 52 patients in a Phase 1/2 randomized, placebo-controlled, dose escalation study, which will evaluate safety and efficacy of its therapy to treat serious *S. aureus* infections.

#### 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: June 2, 2015

XBIOTECH INC.

By: /s/John Simard

John Simard Chief Executive Officer and President