

**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 26, 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
(IRS 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)

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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Item 8.01. Other Events.

On May 26, 2015, XBiotech Inc. (the "Company"), announced that it has successfully isolated and cloned an anti-Ebola product candidate using its True Human antibody discovery platform. The antibody was derived from a previously disclosed blood donation received earlier this year from a patient who recovered from Ebola. A copy of the Company's press release announcing the foregoing is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The "Risk Factors" section of our prospectus filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 16, 2015 discusses risks related to our Ebola research and possible biologic drug development. Those risk factors are incorporated herein by reference.

This Form 8-K and the related press release contains forward-looking statements, including declarations regarding management's beliefs and expectations, that involve substantial risks and uncertainties. In some cases, you can identify forward-looking statements by terminology such as "may," "will," "should," "would," "could," "expects," "plans," "contemplate," "anticipates," "believes," "estimates," "predicts," "projects," "intend" or "continue" or the negative of such terms or other comparable terminology, although not all forward-looking statements contain these identifying words. Forward-looking statements are subject to inherent risks and uncertainties in predicting future results and conditions that could cause the actual results to differ materially from those projected in these forward-looking statements. These risks and uncertainties are subject to the disclosure set forth in "Risk Factors" in our SEC filings

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release of XBiotech Inc., issued May 26, 2015

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.

XBIOTECH INC.

(Registrant)

/s/ **JOHN SIMARD**

May 29, 2015

(Date)

John Simard

Chief Executive Officer and President

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit

Number

Description

99.1

Press Release, issued May 26, 2015

XBiotech Successfully Clones First Anti-Ebola Therapeutic Antibody Product Candidate

AUSTIN, Texas, May 26, 2015 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- XBiotech (Nasdaq:XBITE), the developer of True Human™ therapeutic antibodies, announced today that it has successfully isolated and cloned an anti-Ebola product candidate using its True Human antibody discovery platform.

True Human antibodies are derived directly from human donors that have natural immunity to disease. The anti-Ebola product candidate was developed from a blood donation received earlier this year from a patient who recovered from Ebola infection.

John Simard, President and CEO of XBiotech, stated, "Our response to the Ebola outbreak has been a very special project in several ways. Our technology offered us the ability to develop a curative therapy to a deadly disease that was ravaging nations and even threatened us here at home; and it offered the potential to develop a therapy with unparalleled speed. What started with selfless donations from Ebola survivors only a few months ago has resulted in a True Human antibody therapeutic candidate that could be used to treat the disease. We are very proud of the capabilities we have developed and are humbled by the potential to address serious unmet medical need at home and abroad."

Simard continued, "Additionally, the results of our Ebola program further represent how XBiotech's core strength in efficient drug discovery makes the company uniquely capable to quickly respond to disease outbreaks."

About XBiotech

XBiotech is pioneering a new era in the discovery and development of targeted antibodies based on its True Human™ technology. The company's mission is to rethink the way antibody medicines are discovered and commercialized by advancing its robust pipeline of *truly* natural human antibodies for treating serious diseases such as cancer, inflammatory conditions and infectious diseases. XBiotech's lead product, Xilonix™, is a potential breakthrough antibody therapy that is currently the subject of two pivotal clinical studies for treating patients with advanced colorectal cancer. Xilonix specifically targets and neutralizes interleukin-1 alpha (IL-1a), a molecule known to promote angiogenesis, growth and spread of tumors, as well as mediate symptoms such as metabolic dysregulation, fatigue and anxiety associated with advanced cancer. XBiotech's broad pipeline of True Human antibodies are able to potentially deliver unmatched safety and efficacy because they are cloned directly from individual donors who possess natural immunity against certain targeted diseases. As such, True Human antibodies retain their natural physiology and tolerance profile, having passed the rigors of immune selection in the body. For more information, visit www.xbiotech.com.

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