APPLIED DNA SCIENCES INC

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December 15, 2017					
UNITED STATES					
SECURITIES AND EX	CHANGE COMM	ISSION			
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FORM 8-K					
CURRENT REPORT					
PURSUANT TO SECT	TON 13 OR 15(d) C	OF THE			
SECURITIES EXCHA	NGE ACT OF 1934	1			
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Date of Report (Date of e	earliest event reporte	ed): December 15, 2017			
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Applied DNA Sciences, Inc.					
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)					
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(State or other jurisdiction (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer of incorporation) Identification No.) **50 Health Sciences Drive** Stony Brook, New York 11790 (Address of principal executive offices; zip code) Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 631-240-8800 N/A (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) "Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12) "Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) "Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter). Emerging growth company " If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the

Exchange Act.

Item	2.02	Results	of	O	perations	and	Financia	1 (Condition.

On December 15, 2017, Applied DNA Sciences, Inc. ("Applied DNA Sciences" or the "Company") issued a press release announcing its selected preliminary unaudited results of operations for the fiscal year and quarter ended September 30, 2017. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Item 8.01 Other Events.

The information provided in response to Item 2.02 of this Current Report is incorporated by reference into this Item 8.01.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release of Applied DNA Sciences, Inc. dated December 15, 2017 regarding preliminary unaudited results of operations for the fiscal year and quarter ended September 30, 2017.

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.

Date: December 15, 2017 $\frac{\text{APPLIED DNA SCIENCES}}{\text{INC}}$.

By: /s/ James A. Hayward Name: James A. Hayward Title: Chief Executive Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

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