TRANSENTERIX INC. Form 8-K April 20, 2016

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):

TransEnterix, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

0-19437

(Commission

File Number)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

635 Davis Drive, Suite 300, Morrisville, North Carolina

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

Not Applicable

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 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))

11-2962080

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

27560

(Zip Code)

919-765-8400

April 20, 2016

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On April 20, 2016, TransEnterix, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company") announced that the United States Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") notified the Company on April 19, 2016 that the FDA has determined that the SurgiBot[™] System does not meet the criteria for substantial equivalence based upon the data and information submitted by TransEnterix in its 510(k) submission.

The Company's press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release, dated April 20, 2016

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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.

TransEnterix, Inc.

April 20, 2016

By: /s/ Joseph P. Slattery

Name: Joseph P. Slattery Title: Executive Vice President and CFO

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Press Release dated April 20, 2016