

Ocean Power Technologies, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
April 08, 2015

**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): April 8, 2015**

**OCEAN POWER TECHNOLOGIES, INC.**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<b>Delaware</b>	<b>001-33417</b>	<b>22-2535818</b>
(State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)

<b>1590 Reed Road</b>	<b>08534</b>
<b>Pennington, NJ</b>	(Zip Code)
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)	

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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(609) 730-0400**

(Former name or former address if changed since last report.)

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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 April 8, 2015, Ocean Power Technologies, Inc. issued a press release announcing that it has successfully completed a stage gate review with the Department of Energy (DoE) related to its Power Takeoff (PTO) technology that could be used with both small and large scale PowerBuoys. A copy of such press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release issued by the Company dated April 8, 2015.

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**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.

OCEAN POWER TECHNOLOGIES,  
INC.

Date: April 8, 2015 By:

/s/ MARK A.  
FEATHERSTONE  
Mark A.  
Featherstone  
Chief Financial  
Officer