Sage Therapeutics, Inc. Form 8-K March 16, 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): March 15, 2016

Sage Therapeutics, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE (State or other jurisdiction 001-36544 (Commission 27-4486580 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

**Identification No.)** 

#### **215 First Street**

# Boston, MA02142(Address of principal executive offices)(Zip Code)Registrant s telephone number, including area code (617) 299-8380

#### 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:

- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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))

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

# **Departure of Director**

On March 15, 2016, Robert T. Nelsen tendered his resignation from the Board of Directors of Sage Therapeutics, Inc. (the Company ). Mr. Nelsen s resignation was for personal reasons and not a result of any dispute or disagreement with the Company.

#### 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: March 16, 2016

# SAGE THERAPEUTICS, INC.

By: /s/ Anne Marie Cook Anne Marie Cook Senior Vice President, General Counsel