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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On December 3, 2015, Arch Therapeutics, Inc. (the “**Company**”) issued a press release announcing that the U.S. Patent Office has allowed a broad patent on the use of the Company’s self-assembling technology to prevent the formation of adhesions. The text of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibit

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit Description

99.1 Press Release issued by Arch Therapeutics, Inc. on December 3, 2015

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.

ARCH THERAPEUTICS, INC.

Dated: December 3, 2015 By: /s/ Terrence W. Norchi, M.D.
Name: Terrence W. Norchi, M.D.
Title: President, Chief Executive
Officer

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