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September 29, 2017

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): September 29, 2017 (September 28, 2017)

CHEMBIO DIAGNOSTICS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada 0-30379 88-0425691 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

Identification Number)

3661 Horseblock Road Medford, NY 11763

(Address of principal executive offices)

631-924-1135

(Registrant's Telephone Number)

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:

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ITEM 8.01. OTHER EVENTS.

On September 28, 2017, the Company issued a press release entitled "Chembio Diagnostics Receives FDA Emergency Use Authorization for the First Rapid Zika IgM Test". A copy of the press release is included herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release entitled "Chembio Diagnostics Receives FDA Emergency Use Authorization for the First Rapid Zika IgM Test" dated September 28, 2017.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

September 29, 2017

Chembio Diagnostics, Inc.

By: /s/ Sharon Klugewicz Sharon Klugewicz

Acting Chief Executive Officer

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Exhibit Number Description

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