COMPLETE GENOMICS INC Form SC 14D9/A March 12, 2013

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 14D-9

(Amendment No. 26)

Solicitation/Recommendation Statement

under Section 14(d)(4) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Complete Genomics, Inc.

(Name of Subject Company)

Complete Genomics, Inc.

(Names of Person(s) Filing Statement)

Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

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(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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notices and communications on behalf of the persons filing statement)

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This Amendment No. 26 (the <u>Amendment</u>) amends and supplements the Solicitation/Recommendation Statement on Schedule 14D-9 of Complete Genomics, Inc. (<u>Complete</u> or the <u>Company</u>) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) on September 25, 2012 and amended on September 27, 2012, October 2, 2012, October 5, 2012, October 22, 2012, November 2, 2012, November 13, 2012, November 15, 2012, November 20, 2012, November 26, 2012, November 27, 2012, November 28, 2012, December 7, 2012, December 13, 2012, December 17, 2012, December 28, 2012, January 7, 2013, January 11, 2013, January 18, 2013, January 25, 2013, February 1, 2013, February 6, 2013, February 22, 2013, February 26, 2013 and March 4, 2013 (as amended, the <u>Schedule 14D-9</u>). The Schedule 14D-9 relates to the tender offer by Beta Acquisition Corporation, a Delaware corporation (<u>Purchaser</u>) and a wholly owned subsidiary of BGI-Shenzhen, a company organized under the laws of the People's Republic of China (<u>Parent or</u> BGI), to purchase all of the outstanding common stock, par value \$0.001 per share, of Complete (the <u>Shares</u>), at a price of \$3.15 per Share, net to seller in cash, without interest and less any applicable withholding taxes, upon the terms and conditions set forth in the Offer to Purchase dated September 25, 2012 (the <u>Offer to Purchase</u>) and the related Letter of Transmittal (which, together with the Offer to Purchase, as each may be amended or supplemented from time to time, constitute the <u>Offer</u>). The Offer is described in a Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO filed by Parent and Purchaser with the SEC on September 25, 2012. The Offer to Purchase and the Letter of Transmittal were filed with the Schedule 14D-9 as Exhibits (a)(1)(A) and (a)(1)(B), respectively.

Except as otherwise set forth below, the information set forth in the Schedule 14D-9 remains unchanged and is incorporated by reference as relevant to the items in this Amendment. Capitalized terms used and not defined herein shall have the meanings assigned to such terms in the Schedule 14D-9. This Amendment is being filed to reflect certain updates as reflected below.

Item 8. Additional Information.

Item 8 of the Schedule 14D-9 is hereby amended and supplemented to add to the end of the Section entitled Antitrust Compliance People s Republic of China Regulatory Approvals the following:

On March 12, 2013, the SAFE notified Parent that the SAFE had granted approval of Parent s proposed acquisition of the Company pursuant to the Merger Agreement. Accordingly, all relevant regulatory approvals in connection with the Offer have been received. On March 12, 2013, Parent and the Company issued a joint press release announcing the SAFE approval, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit (a)(2)(V) and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9. Exhibits.

Item 9 of the Schedule 14D-9 is hereby amended and supplemented to add the following exhibit:

Exhibit Number	Description
(a)(2)(V)	Joint Press Release issued by BGI-Shenzhen and Complete Genomics, Inc. on March 12, 2013 (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit (a)(5)(CC) to the Schedule TO-T/A of BGI-Shenzhen and Beta Acquisition Corporation, filed with the SEC on March 12, 2013).

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SIGNATURE

After due inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this Statement is true, complete and correct.

COMPLETE GENOMICS, INC.

By: /s/ A. W. Homan Name: A. W. Homan

Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel and

Secretary

Dated: March 12, 2013