

ACACIA RESEARCH CORP  
Form 8-K  
January 26, 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): January 21, 2015**

**ACACIA RESEARCH CORPORATION**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or other jurisdiction**  
  
**of incorporation)**

**000-26068**  
**(Commission**  
  
**File Number)**

**95-4405754**  
**(IRS Employer**  
  
**Identification No.)**

**500 Newport Center Drive,**

**Newport Beach, California**  
**(Address of principal executive offices)**

**92660**  
**(Zip Code)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (949) 480-8300**

**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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- .. Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- .. 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 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

As previously announced, on January 21, 2015, Matthew Vella, Chief Executive Officer of Acacia Research Corporation (the Company), hosted a conference call to discuss the ruling received by Adaptix, Inc., a subsidiary of the Company, in the United States District Court for the Northern District of California on January 20th, 2015 relating to pending patent cases. The conference call was announced by a widely disseminated press release and was made available to the public via audio webcast. A transcript of the conference call is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information herein, including Exhibit 99.1, is furnished pursuant to Item 7.01 and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liability of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit

Number	Description
99.1	Transcript of Conference Call held on January 21, 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.

ACACIA RESEARCH CORPORATION

Date: January 26, 2015

/s/ Matthew Vella  
Matthew Vella  
Chief Executive Officer

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