

GENOCEA BIOSCIENCES, INC.

Form 8-K

February 25, 2014

**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): **February 20, 2014**

**GENOCEA BIOSCIENCES, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

**001-36289**  
(Commission File Number)

**51-0596811**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**Cambridge Discovery Park**  
**100 Acorn Park Drive, 5th Floor**  
**Cambridge, MA**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**02140**  
(Zip Code)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code): **(617) 876-8191**

**Not Applicable**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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  - ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On February 20, 2014, as recommended by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Genoclea Biosciences, Inc. (the Company), the Board of Directors of the Company approved the grant of 14,397 options to Jessica Flechtner, Vice President of Research, pursuant to the Company's 2014 Equity Incentive Plan. The stock options were granted as of close of business on February 20, 2014, with an exercise price equal to the closing market price of the Company's common stock on the NASDAQ Select Market on that date.

On February 20, 2014, as recommended by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company, the Board of Directors of the Company approved named executive officer cash bonuses for 2013 pursuant to the Company's Cash Bonus Program. The cash bonuses for each named executive officer are set forth below:

| Name              | Title                                 | Bonus      |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------|------------|
| Chip Clark        | President and Chief Executive Officer | \$ 107,320 |
| Seth Hetherington | Chief Medical Officer                 | \$ 88,989  |
| Jessica Flechtner | Vice President of Research            | \$ 54,087  |

**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.

**GENOCEA BIOSCIENCES, INC.**

By: /s/ WILLIAM CLARK  
William Clark  
President and Chief Executive Officer

Date: February 25, 2014