

Avinger Inc
Form 8-K
June 17, 2016

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): **June 15, 2016**

AVINGER, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)

0001-36817
(Commission
File Number)

20-8873453
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification Number)

400 Chesapeake Drive

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Redwood City, California 94063

(Address of principal executive office) (Zip Code)

(650) 241-7900

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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Item 2.03. Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of a Registrant.

On June 15, 2016, Avinger, Inc. (the Company) drew down \$10 million from its term loan facility under that certain term loan agreement with CRG Partners III L.P. and certain of its affiliated funds (collectively, CRG), pursuant to which Avinger may borrow up to \$50 million. The \$10 million drawdown is intended to fund continued commercialization of Pantheris, the Company s image-guided atherectomy system. This drawdown increased the total principal amount outstanding under the term loan facility to \$40 million.

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.

AVINGER, INC.

By: /s/Jeffrey M. Soinski
Jeffrey M. Soinski
President and Chief Executive Officer

Date: **June 17, 2016**