

Kite Pharma, Inc.
Form SC TO-T/A
September 26, 2017

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE TO

**TENDER OFFER STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 14(D)(1)
OR 13(E)(1) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

(Amendment No. 5)

KITE PHARMA, INC.

(Name of Subject Company (Issuer))

DODGERS MERGER SUB, INC.

a wholly-owned subsidiary of

GILEAD SCIENCES, INC.

(Names of Filing Persons (Offeror))

Common Stock, Par Value \$0.001 Per Share

(Title of Class of Securities)

49803L109

(Cusip Number of Class of Securities)

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CALCULATION OF FILING FEE

Transaction Valuation*

Amount of Filing Fee**

* Estimated for purposes of calculating the filing fee only. The transaction valuation was calculated as the sum of (i) 57,410,242 outstanding shares of common stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the Shares), of Kite Pharma, Inc. (Kite) multiplied by \$180.00, (ii) 4,387,212 Shares issuable pursuant to outstanding stock options that have vested (or are anticipated to vest prior to the completion of the transaction) multiplied by \$180.00, (iii) 86,850 Shares issuable pursuant to outstanding warrants multiplied by \$180.00, (iv) 181,811 Shares issuable pursuant to outstanding unvested stock options multiplied by \$105.66 (which is \$180.00 minus the weighted average exercise price for such options of \$74.34 per share) and (v) 373,307 Shares issuable pursuant to outstanding unvested restricted stock units that are anticipated to vest prior to the completion of the transaction multiplied by \$180.00. The calculation of the filing fee is based on information provided by Kite as of August 31, 2017.

** The filing fee was calculated in accordance with Rule 0-11 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and Fee Rate Advisory No. 1 for Fiscal Year 2017, issued August 31, 2016, by multiplying the transaction value by 0.0001159.

x Check box if any part of the fee is offset as provided by Rule 0-11(a)(2) and identify the filing with which the offsetting fee was previously paid. Identify the previous filing by registration statement number, or the Form or Schedule and the date of its filing.

Amount Previously Paid: \$1,301,044.74 Filing Party: Dodgers Merger Sub, Inc. and Gilead Sciences, Inc.

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Form or Registration No.: Schedule TO Date Filed: September 5, 2017

Check the box if the filing relates solely to preliminary communications made before the commencement of a tender offer.

Check the appropriate boxes below to designate any transactions to which the statement relates:

- third-party tender offer subject to Rule 14d-1.
- issuer tender offer subject to Rule 13e-4.
- going-private transaction subject to Rule 13e-3.
- amendment to Schedule 13D under Rule 13d-2.

Check the following box if the filing is a final amendment reporting the results of the tender offer.

This Amendment No. 5 (this Amendment) amends and supplements the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO filed by Dodgers Merger Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation (Purchaser), and Gilead Sciences, Inc., a Delaware corporation (Parent), with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) on September 5, 2017 (together with any subsequent amendments and supplements thereto, the Schedule TO). The Schedule TO relates to the offer by Purchaser to purchase all outstanding shares of common stock, \$0.001 par value per share (Shares), of Kite Pharma, Inc., a Delaware corporation (Kite), at a price of \$180.00 per Share, net to the holder in cash, without interest upon the terms and subject to the conditions described in the Offer to Purchase dated September 5, 2017 (together with any amendments or supplements thereto, the Offer to Purchase) and in the accompanying Letter of Transmittal (together with any amendments or supplements thereto and with the Offer to Purchase, the Offer), which are annexed to and filed with this Schedule TO as Exhibits (a)(1)(A) and (a)(1)(B), respectively. Purchaser is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Parent. This Amendment is being filed on behalf of Parent and Purchaser. Unless otherwise indicated, references to sections in this Schedule TO are references to sections of the Offer to Purchase.

Amendments to the Offer to Purchase

Items 1 through 11.

The information set forth in the Offer to Purchase under The Tender Offer Section 15 Certain Legal Matters; Regulatory Approvals and Items 1 through 11 of the Schedule TO, to the extent such Items incorporate by reference the information contained in the Offer to Purchase, are hereby amended and supplemented by replacing the last paragraph of the subsection titled Antitrust, as such paragraph was added by Amendment No. 1 to the Offer to Purchaser filed with the SEC on September 8, 2017, with the following paragraph:

On September 8, 2017, each of Parent and Kite filed a Premerger Notification and Report Form with the FTC and the Antitrust Division in connection with the purchase of Shares in the Offer. The required waiting period under the HSR Act with respect to the Offer expired at 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time on September 25, 2017. Accordingly, the HSR Condition in Section 13 Conditions of the Offer has been satisfied.

Item 12.

Item 12 of the Schedule TO is hereby amended and supplemented by adding the following exhibit:

(a)(5)(O) Joint Press Release of Parent and Kite, dated September 26, 2017, announcing expiration of the waiting period under the HSR Act.

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.

Dated: September 26, 2017

DODGERS MERGER SUB, INC.

By: /s/ ROBIN L. WASHINGTON
Name: Robin L. Washington
Title: *President and Treasurer*

GILEAD SCIENCES, INC.

By: /s/ JOHN F. MILLIGAN, PH.D.
Name: John F. Milligan, Ph.D.
Title: *President and Chief Executive Officer*

EXHIBIT INDEX

Index No.	
(a)(1)(A)	Offer to Purchase, dated September 5, 2017*
(a)(1)(B)	Form of Letter of Transmittal*
(a)(1)(C)	Form of Notice of Guaranteed Delivery*
(a)(1)(D)	Form of Letter to Brokers, Dealers, Commercial Banks, Trust Companies and Other Nominees*
(a)(1)(E)	Form of Letter to Clients for Use by Brokers, Dealers, Commercial Banks, Trust Companies and Other Nominees*
(a)(1)(F)	Form of Summary Advertisement, published September 5, 2017 in The Wall Street Journal*
(a)(5)(A)	Joint Press Release of Parent and Kite, dated August 28, 2017 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 99.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Parent with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 28, 2017)*
(a)(5)(B)	Investor Presentation, dated August 28, 2017 (incorporated by reference to the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO-C of Parent filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 28, 2017)*
(a)(5)(C)	Infographic by Parent (incorporated by reference to the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO-C of Parent filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 28, 2017)*
(a)(5)(D)	Email sent to Parent Operations Department and Senior Management on August 28, 2017 (incorporated by reference to the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO-C of Parent filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 28, 2017)*
(a)(5)(E)	Email sent to employees of Kite, dated August 28, 2017 (incorporated by reference to the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO-C of Parent filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 28, 2017)*
(a)(5)(F)	Tweet from Parent, August 28, 2017 (incorporated by reference to the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO-C of Parent filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 28, 2017)*
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(a)(5)(L)	Tweet from Parent, August 28, 2017 (incorporated by reference to the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO-C of Parent filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 28, 2017)*
(a)(5)(M)	Q&A provided to Kite employees (incorporated by reference to the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO-C of Parent filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 1, 2017)*
(a)(5)(N)	

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E-mail to Kite employees from Kite management (incorporated by reference to the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO-C of Parent filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 1, 2017)*

- (a)(5)(O) Joint Press Release of Parent and Kite, dated September 26, 2017, announcing expiration of the waiting period under the HSR Act
- (b)(1) Cash Bridge Facility Commitment Letter, dated as of August 31, 2017, among Gilead Sciences, Inc., Bank of America N.A., Merrill Lynch Pierce Fenner & Smith Incorporated, Wells Fargo Bank, National Association and Wells Fargo Securities, LLC*
- (b)(2) Cash Bridge Joinder Agreement, dated as of September 8, 2017, among Gilead Sciences, Inc., Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, Bank of America, N.A., Wells Fargo Securities, LLC, Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, Barclays Bank PLC, JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., Morgan Stanley Bank, N.A., The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., HSBC Bank USA, N.A., Mizuho Bank, Ltd.,

Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation, Goldman Sachs Bank USA, Citibank N.A., Royal Bank of Canada and U.S. Bank National Association*

- (b)(3) Term Loan Facility Credit Agreement, dated as of September 8, 2017, among Gilead Sciences, Inc., Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent, certain other lenders party thereto, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated and Wells Fargo Securities, LLC, as Joint Lead Arrangers and Joint Bookrunners, and Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as Syndication Agent (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Parent with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 13, 2017)*
- (d)(1) Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of August 27, 2017, among Kite, Parent and Purchaser (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Parent with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 28, 2017)*
- (d)(2) Mutual Confidentiality Agreement, dated as of February 10, 2017, by and between Kite and Parent (incorporated by reference to Exhibit (e)(2) to the Schedule 14D-9 filed by Kite with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 5, 2017)*
- (d)(3) Amendment No. 1 to Mutual Confidential Disclosure Agreement, dated as of August 20, 2017, by and between Parent and Kite (incorporated by reference to Exhibit (e)(3) to the Schedule 14D-9 filed by Kite with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 5, 2017)*

* Previously filed.