UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

| FORM 8-A |
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FOR REGISTRATION OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(b) OR (g) OF THE **SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

HOOKIPA PHARMA INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

81-5395687 (State of incorporation or organization) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

350 Fifth Avenue, 72nd Floor, Suite 7240 New York, New York (Address of principal executive offices)

10118 (Zip Code)

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class Name of each exchange on which each class is to be registered to be so registered Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value per share The NASDAQ Stock Market LLC

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A. (c) or (e), check the following box. x

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A. (d) or (e), check the following box. o

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities concurrently with a Regulation A offering, check the following box. o

Securities Act registration statement or Regulation A offering statement file number to which this form relates: 333-230451

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act:

None

INFORMATION REQUIRED IN REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Item 1. Description of Registrant's Securities to be Registered.

For a description of the Registrant's common stock, \$0.0001 par value per share, to be registered hereunder, reference is made to the information set forth under the heading "DESCRIPTION OF CAPITAL STOCK — Common Stock" in the Registrant's prospectus that constitutes a part of the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-1, as amended (File No. 333-230451) (the "Registration Statement"), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), which information is hereby incorporated by reference. Any form of the prospectus subsequently filed by the Registrant with the Commission pursuant to Rule 424(b) under the Securities Act that constitutes part of the Registration Statement shall be deemed to be incorporated herein by reference.

The Registrant's Common Stock being registered hereunder will be listed on The Nasdaq Global Select Market of The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC under the symbol "HOOK".

Item 2. Exhibits.

Under the Instructions as to Exhibits with respect to Form 8-A, no exhibits are required to be filed, because no other securities of the Registrant are registered on The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC and the securities registered hereby are not being registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereto duly authorized.

Date: April 15, 2019

HOOKIPA PHARMA INC.

By: /s/ Jörn Aldag

Jörn Aldag

Chief Executive Officer

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