GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS INC Form 8-K January 09, 2012

# 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

**January 9, 2012** 

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

# GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

NEVADA 000-32877 04-3562325

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)
7 WELLS AVENUE

#### **NEWTON, MASSACHUSETTS**

02459

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(617) 559-0033

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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):

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- " 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.

Corporate updated information is contained in the slide presentation attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K (this Report ) on January 9, 2012.

The information in this Report is being furnished pursuant to this Item 7.01 and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act ) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, and it shall not be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or under the Exchange Act, whether made before or after the date hereof, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing to this Report.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits
- 99.1 Corporate update presentation slides dated January 9, 2012.

#### **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.

Galectin Therapeutics Inc.

By: /s/ Anthony D. Squeglia Anthony D. Squeglia Chief Financial Officer

Date: January 9, 2012

## EXHIBIT INDEX

## Exhibit No.:

99.1 Corporate update presentation slides, dated January 9, 2012.