UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-A

FOR REGISTRATION OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(b) OR 12(g) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

KALA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State of incorporation or organization)

100 Beaver Street, Suite 201 Waltham, MA

(Address of principal executive offices)

27-0604595 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

> **02453** (Zip Code)

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

Title of each class	Name of each exchange on which
to be so registered	each class is to be registered
Common Stock, \$0.001 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), 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), check the following box. o

Securities Act registration statement file number to which this form relates:

333-218936 (If applicable)

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act: Not applicable

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

The description under the heading "Description of Capital Stock" relating to the Registrant's Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share, in the prospectus included in the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-218936), as amended (the "Registration Statement"), filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") is incorporated herein by reference. Any form of 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.

Item 2. Exhibits.

None.

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

Kala Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

By:	/s/ Mark Iwicki
Name:	Mark Iwicki
Title:	Chief Executive Officer

Dated: July 14, 2017