

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 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

**AKOUSTIS TECHNOLOGIES, INC.**  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

**Delaware**

(State of Incorporation or Organization)

**33-1229046**

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification no.)

**9805 Northcross Center Court, Suite H  
Huntersville, NC**

(Address of principal executive offices)

**28078**

(Zip code)

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

Title of each class to be so registered

**Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share**

Name of each exchange on which each class is to be registered

**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.

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.

Securities Act registration statement number to which this form relates (if applicable): **None**

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act: **None**

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

The description of Akoustis Technologies, Inc. (the "Registrant") common stock, par value \$0.001 per share, as included under the caption "Description of Securities" in the prospectus forming a part of Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-212508), filed by the Registrant with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 19, 2016 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, is incorporated by reference herein.

**Item 2. Exhibits.**

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

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**SIGNATURE**

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

Dated: March 10, 2017

**AKOUSTIS TECHNOLOGIES, INC.**

By: /s/ Jeffrey B. Shealy  
Jeffrey B. Shealy  
Chief Executive Officer

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