

AtriCure, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
January 03, 2019

**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**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): December 28, 2018**

**ATRICURE, INC.**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or other jurisdiction**  
  
**of incorporation)**

**000-51470**  
**(Commission**  
  
**File Number)**

**34-1940305**  
**(IRS Employer**  
  
**Identification No.)**

**7555 Innovation Way**  
**Mason, OH**  
**(Address of principal executive offices)**  
**45040**  
**(Zip Code)**  
**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (513) 755-4100**

**Not Applicable**

**(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)**

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):

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))  
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

**Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.**

On December 28, 2018, AtriCure, Inc. (the Company) entered into an amendment (the Amendment) to the Company's Loan and Security Agreement (the Credit Agreement) with Silicon Valley Bank dated February 23, 2018.

The Amendment:

Amends the interest rate on the principal amount of the outstanding Term Loan Advance from the greater of the Prime Rate or 4.50%, plus 3.75% to the greater of the Prime Rate or 4.50%, plus 0.50%.

Increases Term Loan Prepayment Premium amount but reduces the period in which the Term Loan Prepayment Premium would be payable to one year following the date the Company entered the Amendment.

Modifies certain financial covenants from a minimum revenue test to a liquidity ratio test.

Waives the unearned portion of the financing fee, or approximately \$1,100,000.

Increases the Revolving Line termination fees, which apply in the event the Revolving Line is terminated prior to the Maturity Date.

Revises the definition of Available Amount, modifying how availability on the Revolving Line is calculated.

Amends the Letter of Credit sublimit to \$2,500,000.

The foregoing description of the Amendment does not purport to be complete. The Amendment is attached to this report as Exhibit 10.1 and is incorporated into this Item 1.01 in its entirety.

**Item 2.03. Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of a Registrant.**

The information provided in Item 1.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K is incorporated by reference into this Item 2.03.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

| No. | Description |
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- 10.1 First Amendment to Loan and Security Agreement dated December 28, 2018 among AtriCure, Inc., Silicon Valley Bank, the lenders named therein, AtriCure, LLC, Endoscopic Technologies, LLC and nContact Surgical, LLC.

**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.

ATRICURE, INC.

Dated: January 3, 2019

By: /s/ M. Andrew Wade  
M. Andrew Wade  
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer