

Andalay Solar, Inc.
Form 8-K
February 28, 2014

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): February 25, 2014

ANDALAY SOLAR, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

001-33695
(Commission File No.)

90-0181035
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2071 Ringwood Avenue, Unit C
San Jose, CA 95131
(Address of principal executive offices)

(408) 402-9400
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 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))

Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On February 25, 2014, Andalay Solar, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company") entered into a securities purchase agreement ("Purchase Agreement") with a certain institutional accredited investor (the "Purchaser") relating to the sale and issuance of a (i) convertible note in the principal amount of \$200,000 that matures February 25, 2016 (the "Convertible Note") and (ii) five-year warrant (with a cashless exercise feature under certain circumstances) to purchase 5,000,000 shares of common stock of the Company at an exercise price of \$.02, subject to adjustment under certain circumstances. The Convertible Note bears interest at the rate of 8% per annum compounded annually, is payable at maturity and the principal and interest outstanding under the Convertible Note are convertible into shares of the common stock of the Company, at any time after issuance, at the option of the Purchaser, at a conversion price equal to \$.02, subject to adjustment upon the happening of certain events, including stock dividends, stock splits and the issuance of Common Stock Equivalents (as defined in the Note) at a price below the conversion price. Subject to the Company fulfilling certain conditions, including beneficial ownership limits, the Convertible Note is subject to a mandatory conversion if the closing price of the Company's common stock for any 20 consecutive days commencing six months after the issue date of the Convertible Note equals or exceeds \$0.04. Unless waived in writing by the Purchaser, no conversion of the Convertible Note can be effected to the extent that as a result of such conversion the Purchaser would beneficially own more than 9.99% in the aggregate of our issued and outstanding common stock immediately after giving effect to the issuance of common stock upon conversion.

The Company has the option of repaying the outstanding principal amount of the Convertible Note, in whole or in part, by paying the Purchaser a sum of money equal to one hundred and twenty percent (120%) of the principal together with accrued but unpaid interest upon 30 days notice, subject to certain beneficial ownership limits.

For so long as the Company has any obligation under the Convertible Note, the Company agreed to certain restrictions regarding, among other things, incurrence of additional debt, liens, amendments to charter documents, repurchase of stock, payment of cash dividends, affiliated transactions. The Company is also prohibited from entering into certain variable priced agreements until the Convertible Note is repaid in full.

For a period of two years after the initial issuance of the Convertible Note, the Purchase Agreement also provides the Purchaser a right to participate in any future debt and equity offerings of Company securities. The Purchaser also has a piggyback registration right.

The Convertible Note contains events of default which, if triggered, will result in the requirement to pay a default amount (up to 24%) as specified in the Convertible Note.

A copy of the form of the Purchase Agreement is filed as Exhibit 10.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference. A copy of the form of Convertible Note is filed as Exhibit 4.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference. A copy of the form of Warrant is filed as Exhibit 4.2 this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

The foregoing is not a complete summary of the terms of the Purchase Agreement, the Warrant or the Convertible Note described in this Item 1.01, and reference is made to the complete text of the Purchase Agreement, the Convertible Note and Warrant that are filed herewith as exhibits.

Item 3.02 Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities.

The disclosure provided above in Item 1.01 is incorporated by reference into this Item 3.02.

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The Company is relying on an exemption from registration provided under Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act for the issuance of the Securities, which exemption the Company believes is available because the Securities were not offered pursuant to a general solicitation, and the status of the purchasers of the Securities as “accredited investors” as defined in Regulation D under the Securities Act.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

4.1	Form of Convertible Note Due February 25, 2016
4.2	Form of Warrant dated February 25, 2014
10.1	Form of Securities Purchase Agreement by and between Andalay Solar, Inc. and the Purchaser thereto, dated as of February 25, 2014

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.

Date: February 28, 2014

ANDALAY SOLAR, INC.

By: /s/ Margaret R. Randazzo
Margaret R. Randazzo
Chief Executive Officer

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