ACCELERON PHARMA INC Form 8-K March 04, 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 26, 2014

Acceleron Pharma Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-36065 (Commission File Number) 27-0072226 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

128 Sidney Street
Cambridge, MA
(Address of principal executive offices)

02139 (Zip Code)

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code): (617) 649-9200

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Not Applicable

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

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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

On February 26, 2014, Anthony B. Evnin notified the Company of his intention to resign from the Company s board of directors effective February 27. The resignation of Mr. Evnin was not caused by any disagreement with the Company.

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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.

ACCELERON PHARMA INC.

By: /s/ John Quisel, J.D., Ph. D.
Name: John Quisel, J.D., Ph.D.

Title: Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

Date: March 3, 2014