# 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): May 27, 2016

## OXIS INTERNATIONAL, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	000-08092	94-1620407
(State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or organization)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer I.D. No.)
	100 South Ashley Drive	
	Suite 600	
	Tampa, FL 33602	
	<b>Phone:</b> (800) 304-9888	
(Address, including zi	p code, and telephone and facsimile numbers,	including area code, of
	registrant's executive offices)	
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(Former name, former	address and former fiscal year, if changed sin	nce last report)

## **ITEM 3.02 Issuance of Unregistered Shares**

Since May 27, 2016, the Registrant has issued at total of 2,179,163 shares of common stock (the "Shares") to a total of eight entities or individuals. The Shares were issued in exchange for the cancellation of debt in the total amount of \$699,970 and interest in the total amount of \$172,752. The issuance was exempt from the registration requirements of Section 5 of the Securities Act of 1933 pursuant to Section 4(2) of the same Act since the issuance of the Shares did not involve any public offering. Following the issuances, the Registrant has a total of 23,986,774 shares of common stock issued and outstanding.

#### **ITEM 8.01 Other Events**

The Registrant has engaged Midam Ventures, LLC to provide public relations/investor relations services to Oxis for a six month period beginning on May 25, 2016. The scope of the engagement includes providing exposure and communications of Oxis corporate plans and developments to current and potential investors.

## SIGNATURE PAGE

Pursuant to the requirement of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: June 3, 2016

Oxis International, Inc.

By: /s/ Steven Weldon

Steven Weldon Chief Financial Officer