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): November 11, 2016

XOMA CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

0-14710 (Commission File Number)

2910 Seventh Street, Berkeley, California (Address of principal executive offices) 52-2154066 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

> 94710 (Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (510) 204-7200

(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.

Resignation of Senior Vice President, Research and Development and Chief Medical Officer

On November 11, 2016, Dr. Paul Rubin, M.D., tendered his resignation as Senior Vice President, Research and Development and Chief Medical Officer of XOMA Corporation ("XOMA"). Dr. Rubin's resignation is effective as of Friday, November 18, 2016. Dr. Rubin's responsibilities will be assumed by Dr. Patrick J. Scannon, M.D., Ph.D., XOMA's Executive Vice President and Chief Scientific Officer, and other current members of XOMA's clinical, regulatory and medical teams.

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: November 11, 2016

XOMA CORPORATION

By: /s/ Denis J. Quinlan

Denis J. Quinlan Sr. Corporate Counsel & Corporate Secretary