

**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): **March 17, 2020**

RESONANT INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

001-36467
(Commission
File Number)

45-4320930
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

175 Cremona Drive, Suite 200
Goleta, California 93117
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

93117
(Zip Code)

(805) 308-9803
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	RESN	The NASDAQ Stock Market LLC

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 8.01 Other Events.

On March 17, 2020, we completed a restructuring of our workforce which included the layoff of ten full-time employees. Of these employees, eight were on our technical staff and two were devoted to sales, marketing and administration matters. In addition, during the first quarter of 2020 we negotiated the retirement or other departure of four executives. The restructuring is being implemented as part of a comprehensive review of our operations and is intended to reduce our operating costs as we shift our development initiatives to focus on XBAR® and 5G deployment. The decision to streamline our operations is not related to the recent outbreak of the coronavirus.

We estimate the layoffs will cost approximately \$200,000 in the first quarter of 2020, consisting primarily of severance and other termination benefits, and the layoffs and executive departures will result in annual GAAP expense savings of approximately \$4.5 million.

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: March 18, 2020

Resonant Inc.

By: /s/ Martin S. McDermut
Martin S. McDermut
Chief Financial Officer