UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 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 1, 2020

Medpace Holdings, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-37856 (Commission File Number) 32-0434904 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

5375 MEDPACE WAY CINCINNATI, OHIO 45227 (513) 579-9911

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, Including area code, of registrant's principal executive offices)

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 communication 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 communication pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

□ Pre-commencement communication pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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

| <u>Title of each class</u> | Trading Symbol(s) | Name of each exchange on which registered |
|----------------------------|-------------------|---|
| Common Stock | MEDP | The Nasdaq Global Select Market |

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 \Box

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. \Box

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

(e) The Compensation Committee (the "Committee") of the Board of Directors of Medpace Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") approved the following base salary increases, effective March 1, 2020: August J. Troendle, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Company, from \$520,250 to \$625,000; Jesse J. Geiger, Chief Financial Officer and Chief Operating Officer, Laboratory Operations, from \$410,650 to \$450,000; Susan E. Burwig, Executive Vice President, Operations, from \$421,100 to \$475,000; and Stephen P. Ewald, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary, from \$302,350 to \$400,000.

SIGNATURE

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.

MEDPACE HOLDINGS, INC.

By: /s/ Stephen P. Ewald

Name:Stephen P. EwaldTitle:General Counsel and Corporate Secretary

Date: March 5, 2020