# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

Form 6-K

#### REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of April 2016

Commission File Number: 001-32001

Aptose Biosciences Inc.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

5955 Airport Road, Suite 228 Mississauga, Ontario L4V 1R9 Canada (Address of principal executive offices)

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# DOCUMENTS FILED AS PART OF THIS FORM 6-K

See Exhibit Index hereto.

# 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, thereunto duly

#### Aptose Biosciences Inc.

By: Name: "Gregory Chow"
Gregory Chow Date: April 18, 2016

Title: Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer Date: April 18, 2016

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To: All Canadian Securities Regulatory Authorities

#### Subject: Aptose Biosciences Inc.

Dear Sir/Madam:

We advise of the following with respect to the upcoming Meeting of Security Holders for the subject Issuer:

Meeting Type :Annual General MeetingRecord Date for Notice of Meeting :May 13, 2016Record Date for Voting (if applicable) :May 13, 2016Beneficial Ownership Determination Date :May 13, 2016Meeting Date :June 21, 2016Meeting Location (if available) :Toronto, ONIssuer sending proxy related materials directly to NOBO:No

Issuer sending proxy related materials directly to NOBO: No Issuer paying for delivery to OBO: Yes

Notice and Access (NAA) Requirements:

NAA for Beneficial Holders No NAA for Registered Holders No

# **Voting Security Details:**

DescriptionCUSIP NumberISINCOMMON SHARES03835T200CA03835T2002

Sincerely,

Computershare

Agent for Aptose Biosciences Inc.