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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): October 20, 2011

TONIX PHARMACEUTICALS HOLDING CORP.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	333-150419 (Commission File Number)	26-1434750 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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ITEM 8.01 Other Events.

On October 20, 2011, Tonix Pharmaceuticals Holding Corp. (the “Company”), issued a press release announcing that FINRA has approved the name change on the OTC Bulletin Board to Tonix Pharmaceuticals Holding Corp. and a symbol change to “TNXP”. A copy of the press release that discusses this matter is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to, and incorporated by reference in, this report. The information in this Current Report is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section. The information in this Current Report shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in any such filing.

ITEM 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release, dated October 20, 2011, issued by Tonix Pharmaceuticals Holding Corp.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirement 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 authorized.

**TONIX PHARMACEUTICALS HOLDING
CORP.**

Date: October 20, 2011

By: /s/ SETH LEDERMAN

Seth Lederman
President and Chief Executive Officer

Exhibit 99.1

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

TAMANDARE EXPLORATIONS INC. ANNOUNCES NAME CHANGE TO TONIX PHARMACEUTICALS HOLDING CORP.

-Ticker Symbol Changed From TAEI to TNXP on the OTCBB-

New York, NY – October 20, 2011 –Tonix Pharmaceuticals Holding Corp. (“TONIX” or the “Company”), (OTCBB:TNXP), a specialty pharmaceutical company developing therapies for challenging disorders of the central nervous system (“CNS”), including fibromyalgia syndrome (“FM”) and post-traumatic stress disorder (“PTSD”), has announced the effectiveness of a company name change to Tonix Pharmaceuticals Holding Corp. and the commencement of trading under the stock symbol “TNXP”. The Company was previously known as Tamandare Explorations Inc. and traded under the symbol “TAEI”.

Seth Lederman, M.D., Chairman and President of TONIX said, “The new stock symbol more accurately reflects TONIX’s business and our corporate branding. We recently began an active investor and media relations awareness campaign, and we expect the change in name and stock symbol will enhance these efforts. As we advance our clinical development program, we look forward to communicating TONIX’s progress to our shareholders and other members of the investment, medical and scientific communities and the media.”

About TONIX Pharmaceuticals

TONIX Pharmaceuticals is developing new therapies for challenging disorders of the central nervous system. The Company targets conditions characterized by significant unmet medical need, inadequate existing treatment options, and high dissatisfaction among both patients and physicians. TONIX reformulates known pharmaceutical agents to design drugs with optimal safety, efficacy and predictability. Its most advanced product candidates, TNX-102 for FM and TNX-105 for PTSD, are novel dosage formulations of cyclobenzaprine, the active ingredient in two U.S. FDA-approved muscle relaxants. To learn more about the Company and its pipeline of treatments for CNS conditions, please visit www.tonixpharma.com.

Certain statements in this press release are forward-looking within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements may be identified by the use of forward-looking words such as "anticipate," "believe," "forecast," "estimated" and "intend," among others. These forward-looking statements are based on TONIX’s current expectations and actual results could differ materially. There are a number of factors that could cause actual events to differ materially from those indicated by such forward-looking statements. These factors include, but are not limited to, substantial competition; our ability to continue as a going concern; our need for additional financing; uncertainties of patent protection and litigation; uncertainties of government or third party payer reimbursement; limited sales and marketing efforts and dependence upon third parties; and risks related to failure to obtain FDA clearances or approvals and noncompliance with FDA regulations. As with any pharmaceutical under development, there are significant risks in the development, regulatory approval and commercialization of new products. TONIX does not undertake an obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statement. Investors should read the risk factors set forth in the Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the SEC on October 14, 2011 and future periodic reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. All of the Company's forward-looking statements are expressly qualified by all such risk factors and other cautionary statements. The information set forth herein speaks only as of the date hereof.

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