

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): January 16, 2020

TONIX PHARMACEUTICALS HOLDING CORP.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

001-36019  
(Commission  
File Number)

26-1434750  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

509 Madison Avenue, Suite 1608, New York, New York 10022  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 980-9155

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.

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	TNXP	The NASDAQ Global Market

**Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.**

On January 16, 2020, the Tonix Pharmaceuticals Holding Corp. (the “Company”) filed a Certificate of Amendment to its Articles of Incorporation, as amended, with the Secretary of State of the State of Nevada to increase the number of authorized shares of the Company’s common stock from 15,000,000 to 150,000,000 shares (the “Charter Amendment”).

As disclosed in Item 5.07 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, the Charter Amendment was approved by the Company’s shareholders at a special meeting of shareholders held on January 16, 2020 (the “Special Meeting”). The foregoing description of the Charter Amendment does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Charter Amendment, a copy of which is filed as Exhibit 3.01 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated in this Item 5.03 by reference.

**Item 5.07. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.**

The Company’s shareholders approved three proposals at the Special Meeting. Shareholders representing 2,949,864 shares, or 73.36%, of the common shares outstanding as of the November 22, 2019 record date were represented at the Special Meeting by proxy. The proposals are described in detail in the Company’s proxy statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 13, 2019, pursuant to Section 14(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

Proposal 1

The Company’s shareholders approved an amendment to the Company’s Articles of Incorporation, as amended, to increase the Company’s authorized shares of common stock from 15,000,000 to 150,000,000, as set forth below:

<b>Votes For</b>	<b>Votes Against</b>	<b>Abstentions</b>	<b>Broker Non-Votes</b>
2,195,306	728,402	26,156	N/A

Proposal 2

The Company’s shareholders approved the Tonix Pharmaceuticals Holding Corp. 2020 Stock Incentive Plan, as set forth below:

<b>Votes For</b>	<b>Votes Against</b>	<b>Abstentions</b>	<b>Broker Non-Votes</b>
1,051,221	293,951	14,959	1,589,733

Proposal 3

The Company’s shareholders approved, for purposes of complying with applicable NASDAQ Listing Rules, the potential issuance and sale of 20% or more of the Company’s common stock pursuant to the Company’s purchase agreement with Lincoln Park Capital Fund LLC, pursuant to which Lincoln Park has agreed to purchase from the Company, from time to time, up to \$15,000,000 of common stock, as set forth below:

<b>Votes For</b>	<b>Votes Against</b>	<b>Abstentions</b>	<b>Broker Non-Votes</b>
1,140,926	212,233	6,972	1,589,733

Proposal 4

The Company’s shareholders approved a proposal for the adjournment of the Special Meeting to solicit additional proxies, as set forth below:

<b>Votes For</b>	<b>Votes Against</b>	<b>Abstentions</b>	<b>Broker Non-Votes</b>
1,127,115	215,945	17,071	1,589,733

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d)	<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description.</b>
	<u>3.01</u>	Certificate of Amendment to Tonix Pharmaceuticals Holding Corp.’s Articles of Incorporation, as amended, filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Nevada on January 16, 2020

**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: January 16, 2020

By: /s/ Bradley Saenger  
Bradley Saenger  
Chief Financial Officer

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**BARBARA K. CEGAVSKE**  
Secretary of State

**KIMBERLEY PERONDI**  
Deputy Secretary for  
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**STATE OF NEVADA**



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**Corporate Name:** TONIX PHARMACEUTICALS  
HOLDING CORP.

The undersigned filing officer hereby certifies that the attached copies are true and exact copies of all requested statements and related subsequent documentation filed with the Secretary of State's Office, Commercial Recordings Division listed on the attached report.

Document Number	Description	Number of Pages
20200422234	Amendment After Issuance of Stock	3



Certified By: Ashley Pion  
Certificate Number: B20200116515577  
You may verify this certificate  
online at <http://www.nvsos.gov>

Respectfully,

BARBARA K. CEGAVSKE  
Nevada Secretary of State



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**Profit Corporation:**  
**Certificate of Amendment** (PURSUANT TO NRS 78.380 & 78.385/78.390)  
**Certificate to Accompany Restated Articles or Amended and Restated Articles** (PURSUANT TO NRS 78.403)  
**Officer's Statement** (PURSUANT TO NRS 80.030)

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<b>1. Entity information:</b>	Name of entity as on file with the Nevada Secretary of State: <input type="text" value="Tonix Pharmaceuticals Holding Corp."/> Entity or Nevada Business Identification Number (NVID): <input type="text" value="E0792182007-8"/>
<b>2. Restated or Amended and Restated Articles:</b> (Select one)  (If amending and restating only, complete section 1, 2, 3, 5 and 6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Certificate to Accompany Restated Articles or Amended and Restated Articles <input type="checkbox"/> Restated Articles - No amendments; articles are restated only and are signed by an officer of the corporation who has been authorized to execute the certificate by resolution of the board of directors adopted on: <input type="text"/> The certificate correctly sets forth the text of the articles or certificate as amended to the date of the certificate. <input type="checkbox"/> Amended and Restated Articles * Restated or Amended and Restated Articles must be included with this filing type.
<b>3. Type of Amendment Filing Being Completed:</b> (Select only one box)  (If amending, complete section 1, 3, 5 and 6.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Amendment to Articles of Incorporation (Pursuant to NRS 78.380 - Before Issuance of Stock) The undersigned declare that they constitute at least two-thirds of the following: (Check only one box) <input type="checkbox"/> incorporators <input type="checkbox"/> board of directors The undersigned affirmatively declare that to the date of this certificate, no stock of the corporation has been issued <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Amendment to Articles of Incorporation (Pursuant to NRS 78.385 and 78.390 - After Issuance of Stock) The vote by which the stockholders holding shares in the corporation entitling them to exercise at least a majority of the voting power, or such greater proportion of the voting power as may be required in the case of a vote by classes or series, or as may be required by the provisions of the articles of incorporation* have voted in favor of the amendment is: <input type="text" value="More than 54 %"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Officer's Statement (foreign qualified entities only) - Name in home state, if using a modified name in Nevada: <input type="text"/> Jurisdiction of formation: <input type="text"/> Changes to takes the following effect: <input type="checkbox"/> The entity name has been amended. <input type="checkbox"/> Dissolution <input type="checkbox"/> The purpose of the entity has been amended. <input type="checkbox"/> Merger <input type="checkbox"/> The authorized shares have been amended. <input type="checkbox"/> Conversion <input type="checkbox"/> Other: (specify changes) <input type="text"/> * Officer's Statement must be submitted with either a certified copy of or a certificate evidencing the filing of any document, amendatory or otherwise, relating to the original articles in the place of the corporations creation.

This form must be accompanied by appropriate fees.



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**Officer's Statement** (PURSUANT TO NRS 80.030)

**4. Effective Date and Time:** (Optional)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (must not be later than 90 days after the certificate is filed)

**5. Information Being Changed:** (Domestic corporations only)

Changes to takes the following effect:

- The entity name has been amended.
- The registered agent has been changed. (attach Certificate of Acceptance from new registered agent)
- The purpose of the entity has been amended.
- The authorized shares have been amended.
- The directors, managers or general partners have been amended.
- IRS tax language has been added.
- Articles have been added.
- Articles have been deleted.
- Other.

The articles have been amended as follows: (provide article numbers, if available)

Article IV has been amended and restated as set forth below and on Annex A

(attach additional page(s) if necessary)

**6. Signature:** (Required)

X Barbara K. Cegauske \_\_\_\_\_ CFO \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Officer or Authorized Signer Title

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\*If any proposed amendment would alter or change any preference or any relative or other right given to any class or series of outstanding shares, then the amendment must be approved by the vote, in addition to the affirmative vote otherwise required, of the holders of shares representing a majority of the voting power of each class or series affected by the amendment regardless to limitations or restrictions on the voting power thereof.

**Please include any required or optional information in space below:**  
 (attach additional page(s) if necessary)

Article IV has been amended and restated to increase the authorized shares of common stock to 150,000,000. The complete text of Article IV is as follows:

IV. AUTHORIZATION OF CAPITAL STOCK: The Corporation is authorized to issue two classes of stock. One class of stock shall be Common Stock, par value \$0.001. The second class of stock shall be Preferred Stock, par value \$0.001.

(continues on Annex A)

This form must be accompanied by appropriate fees.



**TONIX PHARMACEUTICALS HOLDING CORP.  
CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT**

**ANNEX A**

The Preferred Stock, or any series thereof, shall have such designations, preferences and relative, participating, optional or other special rights and qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof as shall be expressed in the resolution or resolutions providing for the issue of such stock adopted by the board of directors and may be made dependent upon facts ascertainable outside such resolution or resolutions of the board of directors, provided that the matter in which such facts shall operate upon such designations, preferences, rights and qualifications; limitations or restrictions of such class or series of stock is clearly and expressly set forth in the resolution or resolutions providing for the issuance of such stock by the board of directors.

The total number of shares of stock of each class which the Corporation shall have authority to issue and the par value of each share of each class of stock are as follows:

<u>Class</u>	<u>Par Value</u>	<u>Authorized Shares</u>
Common	\$0.001	150,000,000
Preferred	\$0.001	<u>5,000,000</u>
	Total:	155,000,000