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PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT
Number 5
to
Prospectus dated July 13, 2016
of
ELITE PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.
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This Prospectus Supplement No. 5 supplements the information provided in our Prospectus dated July 13, 2016, Prospectus Supplement No. 1 dated July 15, 2016, Prospectus Supplement No. 2 dated July 21, 2016, Prospectus Supplement No.3 dated August 9, 2016 and Prospectus Supplement No.4 dated November 9, 2016. This Prospectu Supplement should be read in conjunction with that Prospectus and Prospectus Supplements No. 1, No. 2, No. 3 and No. 4 which are to be delivered with this Prospectus Supplement.
This Prospectus Supplement includes our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended December 31, 2016 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on February 9, 2017.

The date of this Prospectus Supplement is February 9, 2017.

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549
FORM 10-Q
x QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
FOR THE QUARTERLY PERIOD ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016
OR
"TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
FOR THE TRANSITION PERIOD FROM TO
COMMISSION FILE NUMBER: 001-15697
ELITE PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)
NEVADA 22-3542636 (State or other jurisdiction of (I.R.S. Employer
incorporation or organization) Identification No.)

165 LUDLOW AVENUE

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NORTHVALE, NEW JERSEY

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(201) 750-2646

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes x No "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes x No "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer "Accelerated filer x Non-accelerated filer "Smaller reporting company"

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes " No x

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date: 917,898,440 shares of common stock were issued and outstanding as of February 1, 2017.

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PART 1 – FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

ELITE PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARY

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

ASSETS	December 31, 2016 (Unaudited)	March 31, 2016 (Audited)
Current assets:		
Cash	\$ 13,283,362	\$ 11,512,179
Accounts receivable	544,677	1,530,296
Inventory	6,028,814	3,293,729
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	764,535	377,752
Total current assets	20,621,388	16,713,956
Property and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation of \$7,231,333 and \$6,726,401, respectively	8,719,385	8,110,721
Intangible assets, net of accumulated amortization of \$-0-	6,419,091	6,411,799
Other assets: Restricted cash - debt service for NJEDA bonds Security deposits Total other assets	388,959 50,846 439,805	388,959 48,714 437,673
Total assets	\$ 36,199,669	\$ 31,674,149
LIABILITIES, MEZZANINE EQUITY AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (DEFICIT)		
Current liabilities: Accounts payable	\$ 1,355,371	\$ 1,804,429
Accrued expenses	1,802,475	555,352
Deferred revenue, current portion	1,013,333	1,013,333
Bonds payable, current portion (net of bond issuance costs)	70,822	205,822
Line of credit, related party	-	718,309
Loans payable, current portion	439,265	342,944

Total current liabilities 4,681,266 4,640,189

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.

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ELITE PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARY

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

	December 31, 2016 (Unaudited)	March 31, 2016 (Audited)
Long-term liabilities:		
Deferred revenue, net of current portion	2,518,890	3,278,887
Bonds payable, net of current portion and bond issuance costs	1,580,411	1,654,777
Loans payable, net current portion	443,151	520,829
Derivative financial instruments - warrants	900,247	10,368,567
Other long term liabilities	29,175	47,422
Total long-term liabilities	5,471,874	15,870,482
Total liabilities	10,153,140	20,510,671
Mezzanine Equity		
Series I convertible preferred stock; par value \$0.01; 395.758 shares authorized, -0- issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2016; 495.758 shares authorized, 100 shares issued and outstanding as of March 31, 2016	-	44,285,715
Shareholders' equity (deficit):		
Common stock; par value \$0.001; 995,000,000 shares authorized; 911,245,171 shares issued and 911,145,171 outstanding as of December 31, 2016; 711,544,352 shares issued and 711,444,352 outstanding as of March 31, 2016	911,247	711,546
Additional paid-in capital	161,105,495	109,137,805
Treasury stock; 100,000 shares as of December 31, 2016 and March 31, 2016; at cost	(306,841	(306,841)
Accumulated deficit	(135,663,372	(142,664,747)
Total shareholders' equity (deficit)	26,046,529	(33,122,237)
Total liabilities, mezzanine equity and shareholders' equity (deficit)	\$36,199,669	\$31,674,149

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.

ELITE PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARY CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED)

	For the Three Months Ended December 31,		For the Nine Months December 31,			s Ended		
	2016		2015		2016		2015	
Manufacturing fees	\$ 1,885,765		\$ 1,622,052		\$ 6,470,697		\$ 5,851,020	
Licensing fees	444,884		571,824		1,816,796		1,452,468	
Total revenue	2,330,649		2,193,876		8,287,493		7,303,488	
Cost of revenue	1,726,751		835,675		5,755,997		3,447,172	
Gross profit	603,898		1,358,201		2,531,496		3,856,316	
Operating expenses:								
Research and development	1,526,183		3,174,311		4,312,337		10,012,623	
General and administrative	694,321		654,839		2,060,380		1,991,219	
Non-cash compensation through issuance of stock options	84,785		75,025		258,954		246,495	
Depreciation and amortization	21,032		166,825		64,408		492,625	
Total operating expenses	2,326,321		4,071,000		6,696,079		12,742,962	
Loss from operations	(1,722,423)	(2,712,799)	(4,164,583)	(8,886,646)
Other income (expense):								
Interest expense and amortization of	(55,563)	(68,119)	(181,883)	(207,376)
debt issuance costs	(= =)= = =		(,	,	(-)		()	
Change in fair value of derivative instruments	1,571,471		(9,452,046)	9,468,320		(87,999)
Interest income	3,151		-		9,407		-	
Other income (expense), net	1,519,059		(9,520,165)	9,295,844		(295,375)
(Loss) income from operations								
before the benefit from sale of state net operating loss credits	(203,364)	(12,232,964)	5,131,261		(9,182,021)
Benefit from sale of state net operating loss credits	1,870,114		-		1,870,114		-	
Net income (loss)	1,666,750		(12,232,964)	7,001,375		(9,182,021)
Change in carrying value of convertible preferred share mezzanine equity	-		(24,785,740)	20,714,286		(23,428,573)

Net income (loss) attributable to common shareholders'	\$ 1,666,750	\$ (37,018,704) \$ 27,715,661	\$ (32,610,594)
Basic income (loss) per share attributable to common shareholders'	\$ 0.00	\$ (0.05) \$ 0.03	\$ (0.05)
Diluted income (loss) per share attributable to common shareholders'	\$ 0.00	\$ (0.05) \$ (0.00) \$ (0.05)
Basic weighted average common shares outstanding	904,763,117	684,773,829	811,794,206	665,720,299	
Diluted weighted average common shares outstanding	910,505,291	684,773,829	817,536,320	665,720,299	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.

ELITE PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARY CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (DEFICIT) (UNAUDITED)

	Common Stock		Treasury Stock			70. 4. I	
	Shares	Amount	Additional Paid-In	Shares	Amount	Accumulated Deficit	Total Shareholders'
			Capital			Denen	Equity (Deficit)
Balance at March 31, 2016	711,544,352	\$711,546	\$109,137,805	100,000	\$(306,841)	\$(142,664,747) \$(33,122,237)
Net income						7,001,375	7,001,375
Change in value of convertible preferred mezzanine equity			20,714,286				20,714,286
Issuance of common shares pursuant to the exercise of cash warrants	29,562,876	29,563	1,818,117				1,847,680
Issuance of common shares pursuant to the exercise of cash options	100,000	100	8,700				8,800