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): May 17, 2018

MANNATECH, INCORPORATED

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Texas	000-24657	75-2508900
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)

1410 Lakeside Parkway, Suite 200 Flower Mound, Texas 75028

(Address of Principal Executive Offices, including Zip Code)

Registrant's Telephone Number, including Area Code: (972) 471-7400

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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):

- 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))
- [X] 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. []

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Item 8.01. Other Event.

Attached to this Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 is a copy of a press release issued by Mannatech, Incorporated (the "Company") announcing the Company's intention to commence a cash tender offer to purchase up to \$16 million of shares of its common stock from its shareholders.

On May 17, 2018, in connection with the intended tender offer, the Company also distributed the communication attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2.

Important Additional Information

This Current Report on Form 8-K, including the press release attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and the communication attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2 is for informational purposes only and is not a recommendation to buy or sell the Company's common stock and does not constitute an offer to buy or the solicitation to sell shares of the Company's common stock. The tender offer described in this communication has not yet commenced, and there can be no assurances that the Company will commence the tender offer on the terms described in this communication or at all. The tender offer will be made only pursuant to the tender offer statement on Schedule TO, including the Offer to Purchase, Letter of Transmittal and related materials that the Company expects to file with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") upon commencement of the tender offer. Shareholders and holders of awards granted under our equity incentive plans are urged to carefully read the TENDER OFFER STATEMENT, offer to purchase, letter of transmittal and related materials when they become available because they will contain important information, including the various terms of, and conditions to, the tender offer, that shareholders and award holders should consider before making any decision regarding tendering their shares. Once the tender offer is commenced, shareholders will be able to obtain a free copy of the tender offer statement on Schedule TO, the Offer to Purchase, Letter of Transmittal and other documents that the Company will be filing with the SEC at the SEC's website at www.sec.gov. Additional copies of these materials may be obtained for free by contacting the Company at ir@mannatech.com or 1410 Lakeside Pkwy, Ste 200, Flower Mound, TX 75028, Attn: Investor Relations, or Georgeson LLC, the information agent for the tender offer, at (866) 857-2624.

Forward Looking Statements

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Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit Number Description

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99.2* Email to Associates, dated May 17, 2018, titled "Mannatech Announces Intent to Commence a Cash Tender Offer to Purchase up to \$16 Million of Its Common Stock."

*Furnished herewith.

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 hereunto duly authorized.

Date: May 17, 2018

MANNATECH, INCORPORATED

By: /s/ David Johnson

David Johnson Chief Financial Officer

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(Flower Mound, Texas) May 17, 2018 – <u>Mannatech, Incorporated</u> ("Mannatech" or the "Company") (*NASDAQ: MTEX*), a global health and wellness company committed to transforming lives to make a better world, intends to conduct a modified Dutch auction cash tender offer to purchase up to \$16 million of its outstanding common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share.

"This tender offer reflects Mannatech's confidence in the future outlook of our business and the Company's long-term value and represents another important step in implementing our previously announced strategic plan, which contemplated reducing overall share count and using capital for the benefit of shareholders," said Alfredo "Al" Bala, CEO and President of Mannatech. "The Company has had a share purchase program in place, and with this tender offer, we will take an even more significant step forward in demonstrating our confidence in the future of our business."

The Company anticipates that Georgeson Securities Corporation will be the dealer manager for the tender offer, Georgeson LLC will serve as the information agent for the tender offer, and Computershare Trust Company, N.A. will serve as the depositary for the tender offer.

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SHAREHOLDERS AND HOLDERS OF AWARDS GRANTED UNDER THE COMPANY'S EQUITY INCENTIVE PLANS ARE URGED TO CAREFULLY READ THE TENDER OFFER STATEMENT, THE OFFER TO PURCHASE, LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL AND RELATED MATERIALS WHEN THEY BECOME AVAILABLE BECAUSE THEY WILL CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION, INCLUDING THE VARIOUS TERMS OF, AND CONDITIONS TO, THE TENDER OFFER, THAT SHAREHOLDERS AND AWARD HOLDERS SHOULD CONSIDER BEFORE MAKING ANY DECISION REGARDING TENDERING THEIR SHARES.

Once the tender offer is commenced, shareholders will be able to obtain a free copy of the tender offer statement on Schedule TO, the Offer to Purchase, Letter of Transmittal and other related documents that the Company will be filing with the SEC at the SEC's website at www.sec.gov. Additional copies of these materials may be obtained for free by contacting the Company at <u>ir@mannatech.com</u> or 1410 Lakeside Pkwy, Ste 200, Flower Mound, TX 75028, Attn: Investor Relations, or Georgeson LLC, the information agent for the tender offer, at (866) 857-2624.

Other Disclosures

None of the Company, its directors, the dealer manager, the information agent or the depositary for the tender offer will make any recommendation to the shareholders as to whether to tender their shares or refrain from tendering their shares or as to the price at which to tender them.

About Mannatech

About Mannatech Mannatech, Incorporated is committed to transforming lives through the development of high quality integrated health, weight management, fitness and skin care products distributed through its global network of independent associates and members. The company has been operating for more than 20 years with operations in 26 markets. For more information, visit Mannatech.com.

^ Mannatech operates in China under a cross-border e-commerce platform that is separate from its network marketing model.

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EMAIL TO ASSOCIATES:

Subject: Mannatech Announces Intent to Commence a Cash Tender Offer to Purchase up to \$16 Million of Its Common Stock

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In a modified Dutch auction tender offer, the company conducting the buyback specifies a price range at which it will buy back shares, and each shareholder who is interested in selling shares may offer to purchase them at the minimum price they are willing to accept per share, as well as specify the amount of shares they are willing to sell back. The company examines the offers and buys the shares at the lowest price that allows it to repurchase the pre-determined amount of shares.

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