# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

#### CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

March 30, 2020

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported)

OpGen, Inc. (Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 001-37367 (Commission File Number) 06-1614015 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

708 Quince Orchard Road, Suite 205 Gaithersburg, MD 20878 (Address of principal executive offices)

(240) 813-1260 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable (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):

[\_] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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[\_] 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))

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	OPGN	The Nasdaq Capital Market
Common Stock Warrants (IPO)	OPGNW	The Nasdaq Capital Market

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 [X]

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. [ ]

## Item 5.07 — Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

On March 30, 2020, OpGen, Inc. (the "Company") held a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the Company. At the Annual Meeting, the total number of shares represented in person or by proxy was 2,897,277 of the 5,582,280 shares of Common Stock outstanding and entitled to vote at the Special Meeting as of the record date, January 24, 2020. The following matters were voted upon at the Special Meeting:

1. The vote of the stockholders to approve the business combination transaction pursuant to an Implementation Agreement dated September 4, 2019, by and among the Company, Curetis N.V., a public company with limited liability under the Laws of the Netherlands, and Crystal GmbH, a private limited liability company organized under the laws of the Federal Republic of Germany and wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, was:

2,859,412 votes	FOR the resolution
15,938 votes	AGAINST the resolution
21,927 votes	ABSTAIN

2. The vote of the stockholders to approve the issuance or reservation for issuance of 2,662,564 shares of the Common Stock to be issued or reserved for issuance in connection with the transaction contemplated by the Implementation Agreement in accordance with the Implementation Agreement and as required by and in accordance with the applicable rules of The Nasdaq Capital Market, was:

2,757,765 votes	FOR the resolution
108,223 votes	AGAINST the resolution
31,289 votes	ABSTAIN

3. The vote of the stockholders to approve a proposal to adjourn the Special Meeting to a later date or dates, if necessary, to permit further solicitation and vote of proxies if, based upon the tabulated vote at the time of the Special Meeting, the Company is not authorized to consummate the transactions contemplated by Proposals No. One and Two, was:

2,761,736 votes	FOR the resolution
94,385 votes	AGAINST the resolution
41,156 votes	ABSTAIN

## Item 8.01 - Other Events.

On March 30, 2020, the Company issued a press release announcing the results of the Special Meeting of Stockholders held in connection with the business combination transaction with Curetis GmbH. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

# Item 9.01 – Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

#### **Exhibit No. Documents**

99.1 Press Release, dated March 30, 2020.

# **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 authorized.

Date: March 30, 2020 **OpGen, Inc.** 

By: /s/ Timothy C. Dec

Name: Timothy C. Dec

Title: Chief Financial Officer



# OpGen Announces Shareholder Approval for Business Combination with Curetis

Vote approving transaction passes with 95% support for the transaction

Closing expected in the coming days

GAITHERSBURG, Md., March 30, 2020 -- OpGen, Inc. (Nasdaq: OPGN, "OpGen"), a precision medicine company harnessing the power of molecular diagnostics and informatics to help combat infectious disease, announced today that, following its Special Meeting of Shareholders held March 30, 2020, OpGen shareholders overwhelmingly voted to approve the proposed business combination with Curetis N.V. OpGen reported that 95% of the votes cast were voted to approve the business combination. The business combination is expected to close in the coming days.

Evan Jones, Chairman & CEO of OpGen stated, "We are excited to announce receipt of formal approval for the business combination with Curetis and thank all our shareholders for the overwhelming support throughout this process. We anticipate this business combination will maximize value for our shareholders through providing a robust product portfolio with proprietary assets for developing and commercializing innovative, data-driven solutions in infectious disease diagnostics."

As previously announced, on March 10, 2020, Curetis N.V. shareholders voted to approve the transaction, making today's approval by OpGen's shareholders the last major hurdle now successfully cleared to closing the planned business combination.

OpGen and Curetis entered into a definitive agreement to combine businesses on September 4, 2019. The closing of the transaction under such definitive agreement is expected in the next several days.

# **About OpGen**

OpGen, Inc. is a precision medicine company harnessing the power of molecular diagnostics and informatics to help combat infectious disease. We are developing molecular information products and services for global healthcare settings, helping to guide clinicians with more rapid and actionable information about life threatening infections, improve patient outcomes, and decrease the spread of infections caused by multidrug-resistant microorganisms, or MDROs.

Our molecular diagnostics and informatics products, product candidates and services combine our Acuitas molecular diagnostics and Acuitas Lighthouse informatics platform for use with our proprietary, curated MDRO knowledgebase. We are working to deliver our products and services, some in development, to a global network of customers and partners. The Acuitas AMR Gene Panel (RUO) is intended for Research Use Only and is not for use in diagnostic procedures. The Acuitas Lighthouse Software is not distributed commercially for antibiotic resistance prediction and is not for use in diagnostic procedures. For more information, please visit. For more information, please visit www.opgen.com.

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## **About Curetis**

Curetis N.V.'s (Euronext: CURE) goal is to become a leading provider of innovative solutions for molecular microbiology diagnostics designed to address the global challenge of detecting severe infectious diseases and identifying antibiotic resistances in hospitalized patients.

Curetis' Unyvero System is a versatile, fast and highly automated molecular diagnostic platform for easy-to-use, cartridge-based solutions for the comprehensive and rapid detection of pathogens and antimicrobial resistance markers in a range of severe infectious disease indications. Results are available within hours, a process that can take days or even weeks if performed with standard diagnostic procedures, thereby facilitating improved patient outcomes, stringent antibiotic stewardship and health-economic benefits. Unyvero in vitro diagnostic (IVD) products are marketed in Europe, the Middle East, Asia and the U.S.

Curetis' wholly-owned subsidiary Ares Genetics GmbH offers next-generation solutions for infectious disease diagnostics and therapeutics. The ARES Technology Platform combines what the Company believes to be the most comprehensive database worldwide on the genetics of antimicrobial resistances, ARESdb, with advanced bioinformatics and artificial intelligence.

For further information, please visit www.curetis.com and www.ares-genetics.com.

## **Forward-Looking Statements**

This press release includes statements relating to the completion of the business combination with Curetis GmbH. These statements and other statements regarding OpGen's future plans and goals constitute "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and are intended to qualify for the safe harbor from liability established by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such statements are subject to risks and uncertainties that are often difficult to predict, are beyond our control, and which may cause results to differ materially from expectations. Factors that could cause our results to differ materially from those described include, but are not limited to, the fact that we have broad discretion as to the use of proceeds from OpGen's at-the-market offering that commenced in February 2020 and recent warrant exercises and that we may not use the proceeds effectively; OpGen's ability to successfully combine the businesses of OpGen and Curetis, comply with the complexities of a global business, achieve the expected synergies, and implement the combined company's strategic and business goals, the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on our business and operations, risks and uncertainties associated with market conditions, OpGen's ability to successfully, timely and cost-effectively seek and obtain regulatory clearance for and commercialize our products and services offerings, our ability to successfully complete the demonstration project portion of the New York State Infectious Disease Digital Health Initiative, the rate of adoption of our products and services by hospitals and other healthcare providers, the success of our commercialization efforts, the effect on our business of existing and new regulatory requirements, and other economic and competitive factors. For a discussion of the most significant risks and uncertainties associated with OpGen's business, please review our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). You are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which are based on our expectations as of the date of this press release and speak only as of the date of this press release. We undertake no obligation to publicly update or revise any forwardlooking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

## Additional Information and Where to Find It

In connection with the transactions contemplated by the Implementation Agreement (the definitive agreement related to the proposed business combination between the Company and Curetis GmbH), a Registration Statement on Form S-4 (File No. 333-234657) has been filed with and declared effective by the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"). Investors and security holders are encouraged to read the registration statement and any other relevant documents filed with the SEC, including the proxy statement that forms a part of the registration statement. Such documents contain important information about the proposed transaction. The definitive proxy statement was first mailed to stockholders of the Company on or about January 27, 2020. This communication is not a substitute for the registration statement, the proxy statement or any other document that OpGen may send to its stockholders in connection with the proposed transaction. Investors and security holders will be able to obtain the documents free of charge at the SEC's website, www.sec.gov, or from the Company at its website, www.opgen.com.

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