



**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

Agenus Inc. (the “Company”) announced today that the U.S. Food and Drug Administration cleared the Company’s investigational new drug application for AGEN1884, an immune checkpoint modulator (“CPM”) antibody that binds to cytotoxic T-lymphocyte antigen-4, or CTLA-4. Clearance was also received for a second CPM antibody partnered with Incyte Corporation for INCAGN1876, which targets glucocorticoid-induced TNFR-related protein, or GITR. Both clinical trials are expected to begin in the first half of 2016.

The full text of the press release issued in connection with the announcement is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

<b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b>	<b><u>Description of Exhibit</u></b>
99.1	Press Release dated January 21, 2016.

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**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: January 21, 2016 **AGENUS INC.**

By: /s/ C. Evan Ballantyne  
C. Evan Ballantyne  
Chief Financial Officer

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