

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM 8-K

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): July 16, 2013

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ADVAXIS, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

**00028489**  
(Commission File Number)

**02-0563870**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**305 College Road East**  
**Princeton, New Jersey**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**08540**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(609) 452-9813**

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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 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers**

Effective July 16, 2013, the Board of Directors of Advaxis, Inc. fixed the number of Board members at six and appointed David Sidransky, M.D., age 53, as a Director to fill the newly created vacancy in accordance with the Bylaws. Dr. Sidransky will hold office until the next annual meeting of stockholders of the Registrant, subject to his earlier resignation or removal. Dr. Sidransky has not yet been appointed to any committee of our Board of Directors.

Dr. Sidransky will be eligible to receive compensation for his service as a Director of our company under our current non-employee Director compensation policy. Our current non-employee Director compensation policy provides for the payment of fees, of which at least 50% must be in our common stock. At the beginning of each fiscal year, each Director elects the dollar value of the portion to be paid in stock. Non-employee Directors are also eligible to receive non-qualified stock options under our 2011 Omnibus Incentive Plan for Board or committee meetings attended.

**Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure**

*The information contained in this Item 7.01 and in the accompanying exhibit shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Exchange Act or the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.*

On July 16, 2013, Advaxis, Inc. announced via press release the appointment of Dr. David Sidransky to the Board of Directors. 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

*The information contained in Exhibit 99.1 shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Exchange Act or the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.*

**Exhibit No.****Description**

99.1	Press release dated July 16, 2013.
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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**ADVAXIS, INC.**

By: /s/ Mark Rosenblum

Name: Mark Rosenblum

Title Chief Financial Officer

Date: July 19, 2013

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## ADVAXIS ANNOUNCES APPOINTMENT OF NEW MEMBER TO ITS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Princeton, NJ – July 16, 2013 – Advaxis, Inc., (OTCQB: ADXS and ADXSD), a leader in developing the next generation of immunotherapies for cancer and infectious diseases, announced the appointment of David Sidransky, MD to its Board of Directors.

Dr. Sidransky is a renowned oncologist and research scientist named and profiled by TIME magazine in 2001 as one of the top physicians and scientists in America, recognized for his work with early detection of cancer. Since 1994, Dr. Sidransky has been the Director of the Head and Neck Cancer Research Division and Professor of Oncology, Otolaryngology, Genetics, and Pathology at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine.

He has served as Chairman of the Board of Directors of Champions Oncology since October 2007 and was, until the merger with Eli Lilly, a director and Vice-Chairman of ImClone Systems, Inc. He is the Chairman of Tamir Biotechnology and serves on the Board of Directors of Rosetta Genomics, Immune Pharmaceuticals, and Celsus. He is serving and has served on scientific advisory boards of MedImmune, Roche, Amgen, and Veridex, LLC (a Johnson & Johnson diagnostic company), among others. Dr. Sidransky served as Director (2005-2008) of the American Association for Cancer Research (AACR).

“David’s extensive experience with both the science and business of oncology makes him an ideal addition to the Board of Directors of Advaxis,” commented Thomas A. Moore, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Advaxis. “His guidance and high standards will be invaluable in the advancement of Advaxis’ novel technology to registrational trials and beyond.”

### **About Advaxis, Inc.**

Advaxis is a clinical-stage biotechnology company developing the next generation of immunotherapies for cancer and infectious diseases. Advaxis immunotherapies are based on a novel platform technology using live, attenuated bacteria that are bio-engineered to secrete an antigen/adjuvant fusion protein(s) that is designed to redirect the powerful immune response all human beings have to the bacterium to the cancer itself.

ADXS-HPV is currently being evaluated in four clinical trials for human papillomavirus (HPV)-associated cancers: recurrent/refractory cervical cancer (India), locally advanced cervical cancer (GOG/NCI U.S. study, Clinical Trials.gov Identifier NCT01266460), head & neck cancer (CRUK study, Clinical Trials.gov Identifier NCT01598792), and anal cancer (BrUOG study, Clinical Trials.gov Identifier NCT01671488). Advaxis has over 15 distinct immunotherapies in various stages of development, developed directly by Advaxis and through strategic collaborations with recognized centers of excellence such as: the National Cancer Institute, Cancer Research – UK, the Wistar Institute, the University of Pennsylvania, the University of

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British Columbia, the Karolinska Institutet, and others. For more information please visit: [advaxis.com](http://advaxis.com) | [Facebook](#) | [twitter](#) | [LinkedIn](#)

### **Forward-Looking Statements**

**This news release contains forward-looking statements, including, but not limited to: statements that David Sidransky's guidance and high standards will be invaluable in the advancement of Advaxis' novel technology to registrational trials and beyond. These forward-looking statements are subject to a number of risks, including the risk factors set forth from time to time in Advaxis' SEC filings, including but not limited to its report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended October 31, 2012, which is available at <http://www.sec.gov>. Advaxis undertakes no obligation to publicly release the result of any revision to these forward-looking statements which may be made to reflect the events or circumstances after the date hereof or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events, except as required by law. You are cautioned not to place undue reliance on any forward-looking statements.**

**Participation by Dr. Sidransky does not constitute or imply endorsement by the Johns Hopkins University or the Johns Hopkins Hospital and Health System.**

### **For Further Information:**

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