# 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): September 28, 2018

# Sphere 3D Corp.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ontario, Canada	001-36532	98-1220792
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
240 Matheson Blvd. East, Mississauga, Ontario		L4Z 1X1
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (858) 571-5555

#### **Not Applicable**

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

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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))

#### Item 5.03 Amendment to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

On December 12, 2017, the shareholders of Sphere 3D Corp. (the "Company") passed a special resolution authorizing the board of directors of the Company to file articles of amendment to create an unlimited number of preferred shares, issuable in series (the "Preferred Shares").

On September 28, 2018, the Company filed Articles of Amendment to create the Preferred Shares (the "Amendment"). The foregoing description is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Amendment, a copy of which is filed as Exhibit 3.1 hereto and is incorporated by reference into this report.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Description
<u>3.1</u>	Articles of Amendment of the Company dated September 28, 2018.

### 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, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: October 2, 2018

#### SPHERE 3D CORP.

By: /s/ Kurt L. Kalbfleisch Kurt L. Kalbfleisch Chief Financial Officer

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Ontario Corporation Number Numéro de la société en Ontario

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#### 5. The articles of the Company are amended as follows:

To amend the authorized capital of the Company as follows:

- To increase the authorized capital of the Company by creating an unlimited number of Preferred Shares, issuable in series;
- After giving effect to the foregoing, the authorized capital of the Company shall consist of an unlimited number of common shares and an unlimited number of Preferred Shares, issuable in series; and
- To provide that the rights, privileges, restrictions and conditions attaching to the Preferred Shares, issuable in series are as follows:

#### PREFERRED SHARES

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- (a) The Preferred Shares may be issued at any time or from time to time in one or more series. Subject to these share conditions, the directors are authorized to fix the number of shares in each series of Preferred Shares and to determine the designation, rights, privileges, restrictions and conditions attaching to each series of the Preferred Shares which may include, without limitation:
  - the consideration for which such series of Preferred Shares are to be issued;
  - the rate, amount, method of calculation and payment of any dividends, whether cumulative, or non-cumulative, and whether such rate, amount, method of calculation or payment is subject to change or adjustment in the future;
  - (iii) voting rights, if any;
  - (iv) any rights upon a dissolution, liquidation or winding-up of the Company or upon any other return of capital or distribution of the assets of the Company among its shareholders for the purpose of winding-up its affairs;
  - (v) any rights of redemption, retraction or purchase for cancellation and the prices and terms and conditions of any such rights;
  - (vi) any rights of conversion, exchange or reclassification and the terms and conditions of any such rights, if applicable;
  - (vii) any other rights, privileges, restrictions and conditions, not inconsistent with these share provisions, attaching to such series of Preferred Shares.
- (b) No rights, privileges, restrictions or conditions attached to any series of Preferred Shares shall confer upon the shares of such series a priority in

respect of dividends or distribution of assets or return of capital in the event of the liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company over the shares of any other series of Preferred Shares. The Preferred Shares of each series shall, with respect to the right to payment of dividends and the distribution of assets or return of capital in the event of liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company, rank on a parity with the shares of every other series.

(c) The Preferred Shares of each series shall be entitled to a preference and priority over the common shares of the Company in respect of dividends or distribution of assets or return of capital in the event of the liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company.

The amendment has been duly authorized as required by sections 168 and 170 (as applicable) of the Business 6. Corporations Act. La modification a été dûment autorisée conformément aux articles 168 et 170 (selon le cas) de la Loi sur les sociétés par actions. The resolution authorizing the amendment was approved by the shareholders/directors (as applicable) of the 7. corporation on Les actionnaires ou les administrateurs (selon le cas) de la société ont approuvé la résolution autorisant la modification le 2017/12/12 (Year, Month, Day) (année, mois, jour) These articles are signed in duplicate. Les présents statuts sont signés en double exemplaire. SPHERE 3D CORP. (Print name of corporation from Article 1 on page 1) (Veuillez écrir le nom de la société de l'article un à la page une). By/ Par : SVP and CFO (Signature) (Signature) (Description of Office) (Fonction) Kurt L. Kalbfleisch

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