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): March 29, 2017

RISE GOLD CORP. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

000-53848 **Nevada** <u>30-0692325</u> (State or other jurisdiction of (Commission File (IRS Employer Identification No.) *incorporation*) *Number*)

488 – 1090 West Georgia Street Vancouver, British Columbia Canada

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (604) 260-4577

Rise Resources Inc.

(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:

Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

The Company entered into an agreement dated March 15, 2017 with Sierra Pacific Industries, Inc. to extend the closing date of the acquisition by the Company of 82 acres of land in Grass Valley, California from March 31, 2017 to June 30, 2017. In consideration of the extension, the Company paid to Sierra Pacific an additional non-refundable deposit of \$200,000, which will be applied to the purchase price. The terms of the original agreement were disclosed in the Company's Form 10-Q filed March 17, 2017.

The Company issued promissory notes (the "Notes") on March 29, 2017 to various arm's length parties for an aggregate principal amount of CDN\$220,000. Interest of 10% per annum is payable on the Notes, which is payable quarterly in advance. The Notes are due on June 29, 2017.

Item 3.02 Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities

On April 3, 2017, the Company granted 500,000 options to John Anderson, a director of the Company, pursuant to its stock option plan. Each option vests immediately and is exercisable into one share of the Company's common stock at a price of CAD\$0.27 per share until April 3, 2022. The Company relied on Rule 903 of Regulation S for the issuance of the options and the offer of the underlying shares.

Item 5.03 Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year

On March 29, 2017, Rise Resources Inc. (the "Company") completed a merger with its wholly owned subsidiary, Rise Gold Corp., and formally assumed the subsidiary's name by filing Articles of Merger with the Nevada Secretary of State (the "Name Change"). The subsidiary was incorporated entirely for the purpose of effecting the Name Change and the merger did not affect the Company's Articles of Incorporation or corporate structure in any other way.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Number Exhibit Description

3.3 Articles of Merger filed with the Nevada Secretary of State on March 29, 2017

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: April 4, 2017

RISE RESOURCES INC.

/s/ Cale Thomas
Cale Thomas

Chief Financial Officer, Director

STATE OF NEVADA

BARBARA K. CEGAVSKE Secretary of State

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Articles of Merger (Pursuant to NRS Chapter 92A)

Name and jurisdiction of organization	of each constituent entity (NRS 92A.200):
If there are more than four merg containing the required information	ging entities, check box and attach an 8 1/2" x 11" blank sheet ation for each additional entity from article one.
Rise Gold Corp.	
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Nevada	Corporation
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and,	
Rise Resources Inc.	
Name of surviving entity	
Nevada	Corporation
Jurisdiction	Entity type *

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^{*} Corporation, non-profit corporation, limited partnership, limited-liability company or business trust.



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2)			ress where copies of process may be sent by the Secretary of State of ign entity is the survivor in the merger - NRS 92A.190):
		Attn:	
		c/o:	
3)	Choc	ose one:	
-,	X		igned declares that a plan of merger has been adopted by each constituent entity 00).
		The unders	igned declares that a plan of merger has been adopted by the parent domestic 92A.180).
4)	Own	er's approval	(NRS 92A.200) (options a, b or c must be used, as applicable, for each entity):
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		Rise Gold Corp	ρ.
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		Rise Resources	Inc.
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	he plan was approved by the required consent of the owners of *:
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^{*} Unless otherwise provided in the certificate of trust or governing instrument of a business trust, a merger must be approved by all the trustees and beneficial owners of each business trust that is a constituent entity in the merger.



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The plan of merger has been approved by the directors of the corporation and by public officer or other person whose approval of the plan of merger is required by articles of incorporation of the domestic corporation.	
Name of merging entity, if applicable	
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and, or;	
Name of surviving entity, if applicable	

(c) Approval of plan of merger for Nevada non-profit corporation (NRS 92A.160):



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	Amendments, if any, to the articles or certificate of the surviving entity. Provide article numbers, if available. (NRS 92A.200)*:			
Article	1: The name of Corporation shall be Rise Gold	d Corp.		
6) Locati	ion of Plan of Merger (check a or b):			
	(a) The entire plan of merger is attached;			
or,		registered office of the surviving corporation, limited-lia office address if a limited partnership, or other place o 0).		
7) Effecti	ive date and time of filing: (optional) (must no	not be later than 90 days after the certificate is filed	d)	
	Date:	Time:		

* Amended and restated articles may be attached as an exhibit or integrated into the articles of merger. Please entitle them "Restated" or "Amended and Restated," accordingly. The form to accompany restated articles prescribed by the secretary of state must accompany the amended and/or restated articles. Pursuant to NRS 92A.180 (merger of subsidiary into parent - Nevada parent owning 90% or more of subsidiary), the articles of merger may not contain amendments to the constituent documents of the surviving entity except that the name of the surviving entity may be changed.



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* The articles of merger must be signed by each foreign constituent entity in the manner provided by the law governing it (NRS 92A.230). Additional signature blocks may be added to this page or as an attachment, as needed.

IMPORTANT: Failure to include any of the above information and submit with the proper fees may cause this filing to be rejected.

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