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**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 Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): **August 29, 2018**

**Ocean Power Technologies, Inc.**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

**001-33417**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**22-2535818**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**28 Engelhard Drive**  
**Monroe Township, New Jersey**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**08831**  
(Zip Code)

**(609) 730-0400**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.133-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR 230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR 240.12b-2).

Emerging growth company

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.

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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On August 29, 2018, Ocean Power Technologies, Inc. issued a press release announcing the date and time of the Company's first quarter 2019 conference call. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

<u>Exhibit Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
*99.1	<a href="#">Press release dated August 29, 2018, Ocean Power Technologies, Inc. announcing the date and time of the Company's first quarter 2019 conference call.</a>

\*Furnished herewith.

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**SIGNATURE**

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: August 31, 2018

OCEAN POWER TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

*/s/ George H. Kirby III*

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George H. Kirby III  
President and Chief Executive Officer

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## NEWS RELEASE

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**Ocean Power Technologies Schedules First Quarter Fiscal 2019 Conference Call**

MONROE TOWNSHIP, N.J., August 29, 2018 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) – Ocean Power Technologies (Nasdaq: OPTT), a leader in innovative and cost-effective ocean energy solutions, will release its results for the first fiscal quarter ended July 31, 2018 in a press release on September 12, 2018. The Company will also host a conference call on Wednesday, September 12, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time to discuss its results and provide a general business update.

**Date:** Wednesday, September 12, 2018

**Time:** 10:00 a.m. Eastern Time

**Toll-Free Dial-In Number:** 1-844-473-0979

**Toll Dial-In Number:** 1-574-990-1390

**Conference ID:** 8585504

Investors, analysts and members of the media interested in listening to the live presentation are encouraged to join a webcast of the call available on the investor relations section of the Company's website at <https://www.oceanpowertechnologies.com>.

A replay will be available starting within a few hours after the conference concludes and will be available until September 19, 2018. To access the rebroadcast please dial 1-855-859-2056 or 1-404-537-3406 and use replay access code 8585504. The webcast will also be archived on the Ocean Power Technologies investor relations website.

**About Ocean Power Technologies**

Headquartered in New Jersey, Ocean Power Technologies aspires to transform the world through durable, innovative and cost-effective ocean energy solutions. Our PB3 PowerBuoy™ uses ocean waves to provide clean, reliable and persistent electric power and real-time communications for remote offshore applications in markets such as oil and gas, defense, security, science and research, and offshore connectivity. To learn more, visit [www.oceanpowertechnologies.com](http://www.oceanpowertechnologies.com).

**Forward-Looking Statements**

This release may contain "forward-looking statements" that are within the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements are identified by certain words or phrases such as "may", "will", "aim", "will likely result", "believe", "expect", "will continue", "anticipate", "estimate", "intend", "plan", "contemplate", "seek to", "future", "objective", "goal", "project", "should", "will pursue" and similar expressions or variations of such expressions. These forward-looking statements reflect the Company's current expectations about its future plans and performance. These forward-looking statements rely on a number of assumptions and estimates which could be inaccurate, and which are subject to risks and uncertainties. Actual results could vary materially from those anticipated or expressed in any forward-looking statement made by the Company. Please refer to the Company's most recent Forms 10-Q and 10-K and subsequent filings with the SEC for a further discussion of these risks and uncertainties. The Company disclaims any obligation or intent to update the forward-looking statements in order to reflect events or circumstances after the date of this release.

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