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): April 27, 2020



CEMTREX, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware	001-37464	30-0399914
(State or other jurisdiction	(Commission	(IRS Employer
of incorporation)	File Number)	Identification No.)
276 Greenpoint Ave Bld. 8 Suite 20 Brooklyn, NY		11101
(Address of principal executive office	es)	(Zip Code)
Registr	rant's telephone number, including area code	: (631) 756-9116
Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is int	ended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obl	ligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:
[] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the	Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)	
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[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14	4d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240	0.14d-2(b))
[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13	Be-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240	0.13e-4(c))
Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:		
Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common stock	CETX	Nasdaq Capital Market
Series 1 Preferred Stock	CETXP	Nasdaq Capital Market
Series 1 Warrants	CETXW	Nasdaq Capital Market
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this char		the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of
Emerging growth company []		
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CURRENT REPORT ON FORM 8-K

Cemtrex, Inc.

April 27, 2020

Item 3.01 Notice of Delisting or Failure to Satisfy a Continued Listing Rule or Standard; Transfer of Listing.

On April 21, 2020, Cemtrex, Inc. (the "Company") received a notification letter from the Listing Qualifications Department of The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC ("Nasdaq") notifying the Company that, because the closing bid price for the Company's Common Stock (CETX) listed on Nasdaq was below \$1.00 for 30 consecutive trading days, the Company no longer meets the minimum bid price requirement for continued listing on The Nasdaq Capital Market under Nasdaq Marketplace Rule 5550(a)(2), requiring a minimum bid price of \$1.00 per share (the "Minimum Bid Price Requirement").

Given the recent market conditions, Nasdaq has determined to toll the compliance periods for the bid price and market value of publicly held shares requirements through June 30, 2020. In that regard, on April 16, 2020, Nasdaq filed an immediately effective rule change with the Securities and Exchange Commission. As a result, the compliance periods for the Price-based Requirements will be reinstated on July 1, 2020.

The notification has no immediate effect on the listing of the Company's Common Stock (CETX). In accordance with Nasdaq Marketplace Rule 5810(c)(3)(A), the Company has a period of 180 calendar days from July 1, 2020, or until December 28, 2020, to regain compliance with the Minimum Bid Price Requirement. If at any time before December 28, 2020 the bid price of the Company's Common Stock closes at or above \$1.00 per share for a minimum of 10 consecutive business days, Nasdaq will provide written notification that the Company has achieved compliance with the Minimum Bid Price Requirement.

The notification letter also disclosed that in the event the Company does not regain compliance with the Minimum Bid Price Requirement by December 28, 2020, the Company may be eligible for additional time. To qualify for additional time, the Company would be required to meet the continued listing requirement for market value of publicly held shares and all other initial listing standards for The Nasdaq Capital Market, with the exception of the bid price requirement, and would need to provide written notice of its intention to cure the deficiency during the second compliance period, by effecting a reverse stock split, if necessary. If the Company meets these requirements, Nasdaq will inform the Company that it has been granted an additional 180 calendar days to regain compliance. However, if it appears to the staff of Nasdaq (the "Staff") that the Company will not be able to cure the deficiency, or if the Company is otherwise not eligible, the Staff would notify the Company that its securities will be subject to delisting. In the event of such notification, the Company may appeal the Staff's determination to delist its securities, but there can be no assurance the Staff would grant the Company's request for continued listing.

The Company will consider available options for CETX, to resolve the deficiency and regain compliance with the Minimum Bid Price Requirement. between now and December 28, 2020.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

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Exhibit Number Exhibit Title

Notice of Failure to Satisfy a Continued Listing Rule from NASDAQ Dated April 21, 2020

Certain statements contained in this Form 8-K, including all statements other than statements of historical fact, may constitute "forward-looking statements." In addition to the uncertainty of all forward-looking information, there are specific risks identified in the Prospectus that the Company faces that could cause actual results to be materially different from those that may be set forth in forward-looking statements made by the Company. There also may be additional risks that the Company does not presently know or that it currently believes are immaterial that could also impair its business and results of operations. You are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which speak only as of their dates. Except as required by federal securities laws, the Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

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.

CEMTREX, INC.

Date: April 27, 2020 By: /s/ Saagar Govil

Saagar Govil

Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer

Nasdaq Regulation



Sent via Electronic Delivery to: agovil@ducon.com

April 21, 2020

Mr. Aron Govil Chief Financial Officer Cemtrex Inc. 276 Greenpoint Ave BLD 8 Suite 208 Brooklyn, New York 11222

Re: Cemtrex Inc. (the "Company") Nasdaq Security: Common Stock

Nasdaq Symbol: CETX

Dear Mr. Govil:

As we discussed, our Listing Rules (the "Rules") require listed securities to maintain a minimum bid price of \$1 per share. Based upon the closing bid price for the last 30 consecutive business days, the Company no longer meets this requirement. However, the Rules also provide the Company a compliance period of 180 calendar days in which to regain compliance.

However, the last few weeks have been marked by unprecedented turmoil in U.S. and world financial markets. While the equity markets have functioned well, this turmoil has significantly impacted investor confidence resulting in depressed prices for companies that otherwise remain suitable for continued listing.

Given these extraordinary market conditions, Nasdaq has determined to toll the compliance periods for the bid price and market value of publicly held shares ("MVPHS") requirements (collectively, the "Price-based Requirements") through June 30, 2020. In that regard, on April 16, 2020, Nasdaq filed an immediately effective rule change with the Securities and Exchange Commission. As a result, the compliance periods for the Price-based Requirements will be reinstated on July 1, 2020.

If at any time during this tolling period or 180 day period the closing bid price of the Company's security is at least \$1 for a*minimum* of ten consecutive business days, we will provide you written confirmation of compliance and this matter will be closed. Please note that if the Company chooses to implement a reverse stock split, it must complete the split no later than ten business days prior to the expiration date in the table below in order to regain compliance.³

Nasdaq Regulation

 $^{^{1}\} For\ online\ access\ to\ all\ Nasdaq\ Rules,\ please\ see\ ``Nasdaq\ Online\ Resources,"\ included\ with\ this\ letter.$

² <u>SR-NASDAQ-2020-021.</u>

³ For additional information with respect to compliance periods please see the "Nasdaq Online Resources" on the attached page and access the link "Frequently Asked Questions" related to "continued listing."

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In the event the Company does not regain compliance, the Company may be eligible for additional time. To qualify, the Company will be required to meet the continued listing requirement for market value of publicly held shares and all other initial listing standards for The Nasdaq Capital Market, with the exception of the bid price requirement, and will need to provide written notice of its intention to cure the deficiency during the second compliance period, by effecting a reverse stock split, if necessary. If the Company meets these requirements, we will inform the Company that it has been granted an additional 180 calendar days. However, if it appears to Staff that the Company will not be able to cure the deficiency, or if the Company is otherwise not eligible, we will provide notice that its securities will be subject to delisting.4

Our Rules require that the Company promptly disclose receipt of this letter by either filing a Form 8-K, where required by SEC rules, or by issuing a press release. The announcement needs to be made no later than four business days from the date of this letter and must include the continued listing criteria that the Company does not meet, and a description of each specific basis and concern identified by Nasdaq in reaching the determination.⁵ The Company must also provide a copy of the announcement to Nasdaq's MarketWatch Department at least 10 minutes prior to its public release.⁶ Please note that if you do not make the required announcement trading in your securities will be halted.⁷

The following table summarizes the critical dates and information as related to this matter.

Period below \$1.00 bid price	Expiration of tolling and 180 calendar day compliance period	Public Announcement Due Date	Relevant Listing Rules
			5550(a)(2) – bid price 5810(c)(3)(A) – compliance
March 9 through			period 5810(b) – public disclosure
April 20, 2020	December 28, 2020	April 27, 2020	5505 – Capital Market criteria

Finally, an indicator will be displayed with quotation information related to the Company's securities on NASDAQ.com and NASDAQTrader.com and may be displayed by other third party providers of market data information. Also, a list of all non-compliant Nasdaq companies and the basis for such non-compliance is posted on our website at listingcenter.nasdaq.com. The Company will be included in this list commencing five business days from the date of this letter.

⁴ At that time, the Company may appeal the delisting determination to a Hearings Panel.

⁵ Listing Rule 5810(b). See FAQ #428 available on the <u>Nasdaq Listing Center</u>.

⁶ The notice must be submitted to Nasdaq's MarketWatch Department through the Electronic Disclosure service available a<u>hasdaq.net/ED/IssuerEntry.</u>

⁷ Listing Rule IM-5810-1.

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If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at $\pm 1~301~978~8072$.

Sincerely,

Rachel Scherr Listing Analyst

Nasdaq Listing Qualifications

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