Novartis Securities Investment Ltd. Form POSASR February 21, 2014

Registration No. 333-183955

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Post-Effective Amendment No. 2

to

## Form F-3

### REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

## **Novartis AG**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

### **Novartis Inc.**

(Translation of Registrant s name into English)

### Switzerland

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

### Not Applicable

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

#### Lichtstrasse 35

#### 4056 Basel, Switzerland

#### +41 61 324 1111

(Address and telephone number of Registrant s principal executive offices)

### **Novartis Capital Corporation**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

### Not Applicable

(Translation of Registrant s name into English)

#### **Delaware**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

#### 26-3086456

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

230 Park Avenue, 21st Floor New York, New York 10169 + 1 212 307 1122

(Address and telephone number of Registrant s principal executive offices)

### Novartis Securities Investment Ltd.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

### Not Applicable

(Translation of Registrant s name into English)

#### Bermuda

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

### Not Applicable

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

131 Front Street Hamilton, HM12, Bermuda +1 441 296 8025

(Address and telephone number of Registrant s principal executive offices)

Dr. Felix R. Ehrat Dr. Christian Rehm Novartis AG Lichtstrasse 35 CH-4056 Basel Switzerland +41 61 324 1111

(Name, address and telephone number of agent for service)

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to the public: From time to time after this Registration Statement becomes effective.
If the only securities being registered on this Form are being offered pursuant to dividend or interest reinvestment plans, please check the following box. o
If any of the securities being registered on this Form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933, check the following box. x
If this Form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act, please check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering. o
If this Form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(c) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering. o
If this Form is a registration statement pursuant to General Instruction I.C. or a post-effective amendment thereto that shall become effective upon filing with the Commission pursuant to Rule 462(e) under the Securities Act, check the following box. x
If this Form is a post-effective amendment to a registration statement filed pursuant to General Instruction I.C. filed to register additional securities or additional classes of securities pursuant to Rule 413(b) under the Securities Act, check the following box. o

### **Explanatory Note**

The purpose of this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to the registration statement is to file certain exhibits to the registration statement.

### **PART II**

## INFORMATION NOT REQUIRED IN PROSPECTUS

### Item 9. Exhibits

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#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant, Novartis AG, certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form F-3 and has duly caused this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to the registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in Basel, on the 21st day of February, 2014.

Novartis AG

By:

/s/ HARRY KIRSCH Name: Harry Kirsch

Title: Authorized Signatory

By:

/s/ DR. FELIX R. EHRAT

Name: Dr. Felix R. Ehrat
Title: Authorized Signatory

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to the registration statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature	Title	Date
* Joseph Jimenez	Chief Executive Officer (principal executive officer)	February 21, 2014
/s/ HARRY KIRSCH Harry Kirsch	Chief Financial Officer (principal financial and accounting officer)	February 21, 2014
Dr. Joerg Reinhardt	Chairman of the Board of Directors	February 21, 2014
* Dr. Ulrich Lehner	Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors	February 21, 2014
* Dr. Enrico Vanni	Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors	February 21, 2014
* Dr. Dimitri Azar	Director	February 21, 2014
Dr. Verena A. Briner	Director	February 21, 2014
* Dr. William Brody	Director	February 21, 2014

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Signature	Title	Date
* Dr. Srikant Datar	Director	February 21, 2014
* Ann Fudge	Director	February 21, 2014
* Dr. Pierre Landolt	Director	February 21, 2014
* Dr. Andreas von Planta	Director	February 21, 2014
Dr. Charles L. Sawyers	Director	February 21, 2014
* Dr. Ing. Wendelin Wiedeking	Director	February 21, 2014
William T. Winters	Director	February 21, 2014
* Dr. Rolf M. Zinkernagel	Director	February 21, 2014
* Barry Rosenfeld	Authorized U.S. Representative	February 21, 2014
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Novartis Capital Corporation

By:

Name: Helen Boudreau

Title: Director and President (principal executive officer

and principal financial and accounting officer)

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to the registration statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature	Title	Date
/s/ FELIX SENN Felix Senn	Chairman of the Board of Directors	February 21, 2014
* Helen Boudreau	Director and President (principal executive officer and principal financial and accounting officer)	February 21, 2014
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Novartis Securities Investment Ltd.

By:

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Name:

Simon Zivi

Title:

Chairman of the Board of Directors (principal executive officer and principal financial and

accounting officer)

By:

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Name:

Michael L. Jones

Title: Deputy Chairman of the Board of Directors and

Secretary

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to the registration statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature	Title	Date
* Simon Zivi	Chairman of the Board of Directors (principal executive officer and principal financial and accounting officer)	February 21, 2014
* Michael L. Jones	Deputy Chairman of the Board of Directors and Secretary	February 21, 2014
* Felix Eichhorn	Director	February 21, 2014
* Timothy Faries	Director	February 21, 2014
Alison Dyer-Fagundo	Alternate Director	February 21, 2014
* Tonesan Amissah	Alternate Director	February 21, 2014
* Barry Rosenfeld	Authorized U.S. Representative	February 21, 2014

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*By his signature below, each of the undersigned, pursuant to a duly authorized power of attorney filed with the Securities and Exchange	
Commission, have signed this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to the registration statement on behalf of the person indicated.	

/s/ FELIX SENN Felix Senn

/s/ DR. FELIX R. EHRAT Dr. Felix R. Ehrat

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