## 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): June 15, 2023

# **CLENE INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

(Commission File Number)

Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

6550 South Millrock Drive, Suite G50 Salt Lake City, Utah

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(801) 676-9695

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(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:

□ 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 240.14d-2(b))

D Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-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, \$0.0001 par value	CLNN	The Nasdaq Capital Market
Warrants, to acquire one-half of one share of Common	CLNNW	The Nasdaq Capital Market
Stock for \$11.50 per share		

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

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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.

85-2828339

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

> **84121** (Zip Code)

#### Item 8.01 Other Events.

As previously reported in a Current Report on Form 8-K on June 2, 2023, Clene Inc. (the "Company") received a notice from The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC ("Nasdaq"), dated May 31, 2023, that the Company was not in compliance with Nasdaq Listing Rule 5550(a)(2) for continued listing on The Nasdaq Capital Market, as the closing bid price of the Company's common stock had been below the minimum \$1.00 per share requirement for the last 30 consecutive business days.

On June 15, 2023, the Company received a written notice from Nasdaq informing the Company that it has regained compliance with Nasdaq Listing Rule 5550(a)(2) for continued listing on The Nasdaq Capital Market, as the closing bid price of the Company's common stock has been at \$1.00 per share or greater for the last 10 consecutive business days. Accordingly, Nasdaq has determined this matter is now closed.

### 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: June 16, 2023

CLENE INC.

By: /s/ Robert Etherington

Robert Etherington President and Chief Executive Officer

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