## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of May 2016

<u>ALON BLUE SQUARE ISRAEL LTD.</u> (translation of registrant's name into English)

EuroparkYakum, France Building, Yakum 60972 Israel (Address of principal executive offices)

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## ALON BLUE SQUARE ISRAELAMERICAN DEPOSITARY SHARES TO MOVE TO OVER-THE-COUNTER MARKET

YAKUM, Israel, May 26, 2016, Alon Blue Square Israel Ltd. (NYSE: BSI) (the "Company") announced today that on May 25, 2015 the New York Stock Exchange (the "NYSE") delivered a written notice to Alon Blue Square and issued a press release announcing that trading of the Company's American Depositary Shares (ADSs) would be suspended immediately. The NYSE also announced that the staff of NYSE Regulation would commence proceedings to delist the ADSs from the NYSE.

NYSE Regulation stated that the Company is no longer suitable for listing and that pursuant to Listed Company Manual Section 802.01D, this decision was reached in view of the fact that on May 25, 2016, the Company filed a revised motion with the District Court of Lod, Israel for approval of a proposed debt reorganization. If the current plan of arrangement is implemented with the condition requested by the investor, Mr. Moti Ben Moshe, this reorganization would result in nullification of the Company's shares for no consideration. Alternatively, the Company's position is that it is highly unlikely that any alternative to this reorganization will leave its shareholders with any economic value.

The NYSE has informed the Company that application to the Securities and Exchange Commission to delist the ADSs is pending, subject to completion of applicable procedures, including any appeal by the Company of the NYSE Regulation staff's decision.

Alon Blue Square's ADSs will commence trading on the over-the-counter ("OTC") market today, May 26, 2016, and its OTC ticker symbol will be "BSRIY".

This transition to the over-the-counter market does not affect the Company's business operations and will not change its registration with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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Alon Blue Square Israel Ltd. (hereinafter: "Alon Blue Square") operates through subsidiaries. Continued operations - its Tel Aviv Stock Exchange ("TASE") listed 53.92% subsidiary, Blue Square Real Estate Ltd., which owns, leases and develops income producing commercial properties and projects. The others activities include the clearance of purchase coupons and operating the logistic center in Beer Tuvia. Companies designated for sale – the 63.13% held subsidiary, Dor Alon Energy in Israel (1988) Ltd, listed on the TASE, is one of the four largest fuel retail companies in Israel based on the number of petrol stations and a leader in the field of convenience stores operating a chain of 211 petrol stations and 218 convenience stores in different formats in Israel, and Na'aman Group (NV) Ltd., a 77.51% subsidiary listed on the TASE, operates specialist outlets in self-operation and franchises and offers a wide range of "Non-Food" in the houseware and textile segment.

## Forward-looking statements

This press release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of safe harbor provisions of the U.S. Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements may include, but are not limited to, plans or projections about our business, our future revenues, expenses and profitability. Forward-looking statements may be, but are not necessarily, identified by the use of forward-looking terminology such as "may," "anticipates," "estimates," "expects," "intends," "plans," "believes," and words and terms of similar substance. Forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause actual events, results, performance, circumstance and achievements to be materially different from any future events, results, performance, circumstance and achievements expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. These risks, uncertainties and other factors include, but are not limited to, the following: failure to reach a settlement with holders of our bank debt and guaranteed bank debt and holders of our Series C Debentures as well as the trustees and creditors of Mega Retail and whether we will continue operations; failure to satisfy all closing conditions for the proposed debt arrangement; acceptance by the court of all or part of the claims made by the trustees of Mega Retail; exposure to third party claims for significant amount of Mega Retail's outstanding debts and liabilities; financial and operational restrictions imposed by the proposed framework for debt repayment with our financial creditors; failure to satisfy the NYSE requirements for continued listing; commitments to issue additional shares which would dilute existing shareholdings and may lower the trading price of our securities; economic conditions in Israel which may affect our financial performance; dependence of BSRE on Mega Retail as a lessee of its properties; our ability to compete effectively with large fuel companies and our other competitors; enactment of new laws and regulations, including the enactment of recommendations of governmental appointed committees and regulations with respect to the procurement of petroleum products by fuel companies and the price of petroleum products that are subject to regulation; the effect of increases in oil, raw material and product prices in recent years; and other risks, uncertainties and factors disclosed in our filings with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), including, but not limited to, risks, uncertainties and factors identified under the heading "Risk Factors" in our annual report on Form 20-F for the year ended December 31, 2015. You are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date of this press release. Except for our ongoing obligations to disclose material information under the applicable securities laws, we undertake no obligation to update the forward-looking information contained in this press release.

## SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

ALON BLUE SQUARE ISRAEL LTD.

May 26, 2016

By: /s/ Zehavit Shahaf
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