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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549
FORM S-1
REGISTRATION STATEMENT
UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933
BIO-KEY INTERNATIONAL, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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incorporation or organization)

Delaware

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number,

including area code, of registrant's principal executive offices)

41-1741861

(State or other jurisdiction of (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to the public: As soon as practicable following the effectiveness of this Registration Statement.

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.

If this Form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) 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.

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer Accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer (Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

Smaller reporting company

CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Title of Each Class of	Amount of	Proposed Maximum	Proposed Maximum	Amount of
Securities to be Registered	Shares to be	Offering	Aggregate	Registration
<u> </u>	Registered	Price Per Share	Offering Price	Fee
Shares of Common Stock Issuable Upon Conversion of Series A-1 Convertible Preferred Stock ⁽²⁾	30,000,000	\$ 0.165	\$4,950,000	\$ 498.47
Shares of Common Stock Issuable Upon Conversion of Series B-1 Convertible Preferred Stock ⁽²⁾	35,000,000	\$ 0.165	\$5,775,000	\$ 581.54
Total	65,000,000		\$10,725,000	\$ 1,080.01

Estimated pursuant to Rule 457(c) for the purpose of calculating the registration fee based on the average of the (1) high and low prices per share of the registrant's common stock as reported on the QB tier of the OTC Marketplace on December 21, 2015.

Represents shares of common stock issuable upon the conversion of preferred stock issued in private placement transactions in October and November, 2016. Pursuant to Rule 416, there are also being registered such (2) indeterminable additional securities as may be issued to prevent dilution as a result of stock splits, stock dividends, or similar transactions. Proposed maximum offering price per share is based on the conversion price of the preferred stock in accordance with Rule 457(g).

The registrant hereby amends this registration statement on such date or dates as may be necessary to delay its effective date until the registrant shall file a further amendment which specifically states that this registration statement shall thereafter become effective in accordance with Section 8(a) of the Securities Act of 1933 or until the registration statement shall become effective on such date as the Commission, acting pursuant to said Section 8(a), may determine.

The information in this prospectus is not complete and may be changed. The selling security holders may not sell these securities until the registration statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission is effective. This prospectus is not an offer to sell these securities and it is not soliciting an offer to buy these securities in any state where the offer or sale is not permitted.

SUBJECT TO COMPLETION, DATED DECEMBER 23, 2015

PRELIMINARY PROSPECTUS

65,000,000 shares of common stock

The 65,000,000 shares of our common stock, \$.0001 par value per share, are being offered by the selling security holders identified in this prospectus. The shares of common stock offered by the selling security holders consist of:

30,000,000 shares of common stock issuable upon conversion of Series A-1 Convertible Preferred Stock issued in our October 2015 and November 2015 private offerings; and

35,000,000 shares of common stock issuable upon conversion of Series B-1 Convertible Preferred Stock issued in our November 2015 private offering.

The selling security holders may sell the shares covered by this prospectus through public or private transactions at prevailing market prices or at privately negotiated prices. We will not receive any part of the proceeds from sales of these shares by the selling security holders.

Our common stock trades on the QB tier of the OTC Marketplace ("OTCQB") under the symbol "BKYI." The closing price of our common stock on the OTCQB on December 21, 2015, was \$0.17 per share.

Investing in our common stock involves a high degree of risk. See "Risk Factors" beginning on page 2 of thi prospectus.	S
Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved these securities or passed upon the adequacy or accuracy of this prospectus. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.	
The date of this prospectus is , 2015.	

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