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 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of September 2024.

Commission File Number: 333-253466

Ayr Wellness Inc. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

2601 South Bayshore Drive, Suite 900, Miami, FL, 33133 (Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F. Form 20-F Form 40-F

SIGNATURE

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, thereunto duly authorized.

AYR WELLNESS INC.

(Registrant)

Date: September 19, 2024

/s/ Brad Asher By:

Name: Brad Asher Chief Financial Officer Title:

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News Release dated September 18, 2024

AYR WELLNESS ANNOUNCES CHANGES TO MANAGEMENT

Miami – September 18, 2024 – AYR Wellness Inc. ("AYR" or the "Company") (CSE: AYR.A, OTCQX: AYRWF) a leading vertically integrated U.S. multi-state cannabis operator, today announced that, effective today, David Goubert has stepped down as the President and Chief Executive Officer of the Company. Mr. Goubert served as President of the Company from October 12, 2022 and as Chief Executive Officer of the Company from February 13, 2023. The Board of Directors of the Company (the "Board") thanks Mr. Goubert for his dedication to AYR and wishes him the best in his future endeavours.

Appointment of Interim Chief Executive Officer

The Board has approved the appointment of Steven M. Cohen as Interim Chief Executive Officer of the Company, effective immediately. Mr. Cohen previously served as outside legal advisor to the Company. The Board will embark on a search for a permanent Chief Executive Officer in due course.

About AYR Wellness Inc.

AYR is a vertically integrated, U.S. multi-state cannabis business. The Company operates simultaneously as a retailer with 90+ licensed dispensaries and a house of cannabis CPG brands.

AYR is committed to delivering high-quality cannabis products to its patients and customers while acting as a Force for Good for its team members and the communities that the Company serves. For more information, please visit <u>www.ayrwellness.com</u>.

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