Nile Therapeutics, Inc. Form 8-K October 15, 2007

## **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): October 11, 2007

# NILE THERAPEUTICS, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction

333-55166 (Commission File Number) 88-0363465 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

2850 Telegraph Avenue Suite #310

Identification No.)

Berkeley, CA 94705

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(510) 281-7700

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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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:

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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#### Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

On October 11, 2007, Nile Therapeutics, Inc. (Nile), a Delaware corporation, issued a press release announcing results from a Phase 1a clinical study of CD-NP, Nile s selective NPR-B agonist being developed for the treatment of heart failure. A copy of the press release attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated by reference herein.

The information in this Item 7.01, including that incorporated herein by reference, is being furnished and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section. The information in this Item, including that incorporated herein by reference, shall not be deemed incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

### Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release of Nile Therapeutics, Inc. dated October 11, 2007.

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, hereunto duly authorized.

Date: October 15, 2007 NILE THERAPEUTICS, INC.

By: /s/ Peter M. Strumph
Name: Peter M. Strumph
Title: Chief Executive Officer

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**Description**Press Release of Nile Therapeutics, Inc. dated October 11, 2007. 99.1