

ALPHARMA INC  
Form 8-K  
September 02, 2008

**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):**

**September 2, 2008**

**ALPHARMA INC.**

(Exact Name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

1-8593

22-2095212

(State or Other Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

440 Route 22, Bridgewater  
New Jersey 08807

(Address of principal executive offices)

(866) 322-2525

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

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)
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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
  - 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**

Alpharma Inc. (the Registrant ) issued a press release on September 2, 2008. A copy of the Registrant s press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

*(d) Exhibits.*

Exhibit No.	Description
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99.1	Press release issued by the Registrant on September 2, 2008.
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**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.

ALPHARMA INC.  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Thomas J. Spellman III  
Thomas J. Spellman III  
Executive Vice President, General  
Counsel  
and Corporate Secretary

Date: September 2, 2008