

BIO RAD LABORATORIES INC  
Form 8-K  
May 04, 2006

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: May 4, 2006  
(Date of earliest event reported)

BIO-RAD LABORATORIES, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission file number 1-7928

Delaware  
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or  
organization)

94-1381833  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

1000 Alfred Nobel Drive, Hercules,  
California  
(Address of principal executive offices)

94547  
(Zip Code)

(510)724-7000  
Registrant's telephone number, including area code

ITEM 2.02.

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION.

The information in Item 2.02 of the Report, including Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto, is being furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 of Form 8-K. Consequently, it is not deemed filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. It may only be incorporate by reference in another filing under the Exchange Act or Securities Act of 1933, as amended, if such subsequent filing specifically references this Form 8-K.

On May 4, 2006, Bio-Rad Laboratories, Inc. announced its results of operations and financial condition as of and for the quarter ended March 31, 2006. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit

Number

Description

99.1

Press Release for first quarter financial results of Bio-Rad Laboratories, Inc., dated May 4, 2006. This exhibit is being furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 of Form 8-K.

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.

BIO-RAD LABORATORIES, INC.

Date: May 4, 2006

/s/ Christine A. Tsingos  
Christine A. Tsingos  
Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

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