

IMMUNOGEN INC  
Form 8-K  
February 09, 2005

**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): **February 7, 2005**

**ImmunoGen, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Massachusetts**  
(State or other  
jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

**0-17999**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**04-2726691**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**128 Sidney Street, Cambridge, MA 02139**  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(617) 995-2500**

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**ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS**

On February 9, 2005, ImmunoGen, Inc. issued a press release to announce that Boehringer Ingelheim one of ImmunoGen's collaborative partners has decided to discontinue its development of bivatuzumab mertansine. Bivatuzumab mertansine consists of the Boehringer Ingelheim anti-CD44v6 antibody, bivatuzumab, and ImmunoGen's DM1 cytotoxic agent, mertansine. Boehringer Ingelheim is retaining its right to use ImmunoGen's DM1 Tumor-Activated Prodrug (TAP) technology for a different antigen target. A copy of the press release is attached to this current report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1.

The information shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

**ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**

| <b>Exhibit No.</b> | <b>Exhibit</b>  |
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| 99.1               | Press Release of ImmunoGen, Inc. dated February 9, 2005 |

**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.

**ImmunoGen, Inc.**  
(Registrant)

Date: February 9, 2005

/s/ Karleen M. Oberton

Karleen M. Oberton  
Senior Corporate Controller  
(Principal Accounting and Financial Officer)