

HEPALIFE TECHNOLOGIES INC

Form 8-K

November 28, 2007

**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

**November 20, 2007**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

**HEPALIFE TECHNOLOGIES, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Florida**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

**000-29819**

(Commission File Number)

**58-2349413**

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

**60 State Street, Suite 700, Boston, MA 02109**

(Address of principal executive offices)

**(800) 518-4879**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

## **SECTION 1. Registrant's Business and Operations**

### **Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Agreement**

On November 20, 2007, HepaLife Technologies, Inc. entered into a Cooperative Research and Development Agreement (the "CRADA") with the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Research Service (USDA-ARS) pertaining to the continued development and use of patented liver cell lines in artificial liver devices and in-vitro toxicological testing platforms.

We are a development stage company focused on the development of cell-based medical technologies addressing prevalent human health concerns. Current cell-based technologies under development by us include 1) the first-of-its-kind artificial liver device, 2) proprietary in-vitro toxicology and pre-clinical drug testing platforms, and 3) novel cell-culture based vaccine production methods for the manufacture of vaccines against H5N1 avian influenza

and other viruses.

A copy of the press release announcing our entry into the CRADA with the USDA-ARS is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

**SECTION 2. Financial Information**

None.

**SECTION 3. Securities and Trading Markets**

None.

**SECTION 4. Matters Related to Accountants and Financial Statements**

None.

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## **SECTION 5. Corporate Governance and Management**

None.

## **SECTION 6. [Reserved]**

N/A.

## **SECTION 7. Regulation FD**

Except for the historical information presented in this document, the matters discussed in this Form 8-K, or otherwise incorporated by reference into this document, contain "forward-looking statements" (as such term is defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995). These statements are identified by the use of forward-looking terminology such as "believes", "plans", "intend", "scheduled", "potential", "continue", "estimates", "hopes", "goal", "objective", "expects", "may", "will", "should" or "anticipates" or the negative thereof or other variations thereon or comparable terminology, or by discussions of strategy that involve risks and uncertainties. The safe harbor provisions of Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, apply to forward-looking statements made by the Registrant. The reader is cautioned that no statements contained in this Form 8-K should be construed as a guarantee or assurance of future performance or results. These forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties, including those identified within this Form 8-K. The actual results that the Registrant achieves may differ materially from any forward-looking statements due to such risks and uncertainties. These forward-looking statements are based on current expectations, and the Registrant assumes no obligation to update this information. Readers are urged to carefully review and consider the various disclosures made by the Registrant in this Form 8-K and in the Registrant's other reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission that attempt to advise interested parties of the risks and factors that may affect the Registrant's business.

Note: Information in this report furnished pursuant to Item 7 shall not be deemed to be "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 current report shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. The furnishing of the information in this current report is not intended to, and does not, constitute a representation that such furnishing is required by Regulation FD or that the information this current report contains is material investor information that is not otherwise publicly available.

On November 27, 2007, HepaLife Technologies, Inc. issued a news release to that the Company has entered into an exclusive license agreement with the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Research Service (USDA, ARS)

for the use of patented liver cell lines in artificial liver devices and in-vitro toxicological testing platforms. This news release, dated November 27, 2007, is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

**SECTION 8. Other Events**

None.

**SECTION 9. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

The following exhibits are furnished as part of this report:

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated November 27, 2007

**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.

**HEPALIFE TECHNOLOGIES, INC.**

/s/ Frank Menzler

Frank Menzler

President and CEO

Date: November 28, 2007