NOVEN PHARMACEUTICALS INC Form 8-K December 29, 2004

# 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

December 22, 2004

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported):

## Noven Pharmaceuticals, Inc

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	0-17254	59-2/6/632
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
11960 S.W. 144th Street, Miami, Florida		33186
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code:		305-253-5009
	Not Applicable	
Former nam	e or former address, if changed since l	ast report
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Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On December 22, 2004, Noven Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ("Noven") and P&G Pharmaceuticals, Inc. amended the economic terms of one milestone under the Development Agreement, dated April 28, 2003, between the parties. No other changes were made to the Development Agreement. Noven announced on December 28, 2004 that it had earned a \$3 million payment for attaining a milestone under the Development Agreement, as amended.

#### Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On December 28, 2004, Noven issued a press release announcing that Noven has earned a \$3 million milestone under its development collaboration with P&G Pharmaceuticals, Inc. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K. The information reported in this Item 7.01 and the Exhibit attached hereto shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Act of 1934, nor shall they be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (c) Exhibits.
- 99.1 Press Release dated December 29, 2004

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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.

Noven Pharmaceuticals, Inc

December 29, 2004 By: /s/ Jeffrey F. Eisenberg

Name: Jeffrey F. Eisenberg

Title: Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate

Secretary

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Exhibit No.	Description	
99.1	Press Release dated December 29, 2004	