INVERNESS MEDICAL INNOVATIONS INC Form 8-K November 04, 2009

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): November 4, 2009 Inverness Medical Innovations, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

001-16789

04-3565120

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission file number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

51 Sawyer Road, Suite 200, Waltham, Massachusetts 02453

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (781) 647-3900

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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

Item 8.01 Other Events.

The staff of the United States Securities and Exchange Commission has completed its review of our annual report on Form 10-K and Form 10-K/A for the year ended December 31, 2008 (the 10-K) and our definitive proxy statement for our 2009 annual meeting of stockholders (the 2009 Proxy Statement), which we announced on September 22, 2009. No restatements or amendments of the 10-K, the 2009 Proxy Statement or any past financial statements were required, nor are any prospective changes to the Company's accounting practices anticipated as a result of the review.

SIGNATURE

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.

INVERNESS MEDICAL INNOVATIONS, INC.

BY: /s/ David A. Teitel David A. Teitel Chief Financial Officer

Dated: November 4, 2009