

DADE BEHRING HOLDINGS INC

Form SC TO-C

July 25, 2007

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

**SCHEDULE TO**

**Tender Offer Statement Under Section 14(d)(1) or 13(e)(1)  
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Dade Behring Holdings, Inc.  
(Name of Subject Company)**

**Siemens Aktiengesellschaft  
(Name of Filing Persons (Offeror))  
Common Stock, Par Value \$0.01 Per Share  
(Title of Class of Securities)  
23342J206  
(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)**

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Not Applicable

Not Applicable

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- amendment to Schedule 13D under Rule 13d-2.

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This Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO (this Statement ) relates to a planned tender offer by Belfast Merger Co. (Purchaser ), a Delaware corporation and wholly owned subsidiary of Siemens Corporation (Parent ), a Delaware corporation and indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Siemens Aktiengesellschaft (Siemens AG ), a corporation formed under the laws of the Federal Republic of Germany, for all of the issued and outstanding shares of common stock of Dade Behring Holdings, Inc. (Dade Behring ), to be commenced pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of July 25, 2007, by and among Parent, Purchaser and Dade Behring.

The tender offer described in this Statement has not yet been commenced. This Statement is neither an offer to purchase nor a solicitation of an offer to sell shares of Dade Behring. At the time the tender offer is commenced, Purchaser and Parent intend to file a Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO containing an offer to purchase, a form of letter of transmittal and other documents relating to the tender offer, and thereafter Dade Behring will file a Solicitation/Recommendation Statement on Schedule 14D-9 with respect to the tender offer. These documents will contain important information about the tender offer, and shareholders of Dade Behring are urged to read them carefully when they become available. When they become available, copies of these and other documents filed by Dade Behring, Purchaser, Parent or Siemens AG with the SEC may be obtained for free at the website maintained by the SEC at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov).

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EXHIBIT INDEX

**Exhibit No.**

99.1 Press release dated July 25, 2007