WATSON PHARMACEUTICALS INC Form 8-K May 09, 2006

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 and Exchange Act Of 1934

May 9, 2006

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

WATSON PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada (State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) **0-20045** (Commission File Number)

95-3872914 (IRS Employer Identification Number)

311 Bonnie Circle Corona, California (Address of principal executive offices)

92880 (Zip Code)

(951) 493-5300

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

	neck the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of e following provisions:
o	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
o	Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
o 24	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 40.14d-2(b))
o	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)

Item 2.02

Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On May 9, 2006, Watson Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release reporting the financial results of the Company for the first quarter ended March 31, 2006. A copy of the Company s press release is attached to this report as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

The information in this report (including the exhibit) is furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 and shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act), nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, 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 titled Watson Pharmaceuticals Reports First Quarter 2006 Results dated May 9, 2006.

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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.

Dated: May 9, 2006 WATSON PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

By: /s/ Charles P. Slacik

Charles P. Slacik

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.	Description	
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