

MERIDIAN BIOSCIENCE INC  
Form 8-K  
April 21, 2010

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): April 20, 2010

MERIDIAN BIOSCIENCE, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Ohio  | 0-14902                     | 31-0888197                            |
| (State or other jurisdiction of<br>incorporation) | (Commission File<br>Number) | (IRS Employer Identification<br>No. ) |

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| 3471 River Hills Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio | 45244      |
| (Address of principal executive offices) | (Zip Code) |

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (513) 271-3700

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- 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 April 20, 2010, the Registrant issued a press release announcing announcing its financial results for the fiscal quarter ended March 31, 2010. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits:

The following exhibit is filed with this Current Report on Form 8-K:

| Exhibit No. | Description                         |
|-------------|-------------------------------------|
| 99.1        | Press Release dated April 20, 2010. |

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.

MERIDIAN BIOSCIENCE, INC.

Date: April 20, 2010

By: /s/ Melissa A. Lueke  
Melissa A. Lueke  
Vice President and Chief Financial  
Officer  
(Principal Accounting Officer)