

DYNAVAX TECHNOLOGIES CORP  
Form 8-K  
June 10, 2009

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**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): 06/05/2009**

**Dynavax Technologies Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Commission File Number: 001-34207**

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

**33-0728374**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**2929 Seventh Street, Suite 100**  
Berkeley, CA 94710-2753  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**(510) 848-5100**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers**

On June 5, 2009, Dynavax Technologies Corporation ("Dynavax" or the "Company") appointed Jennifer Lew as Principal Accounting Officer. Ms. Lew, age 36, joined Dynavax in December 2004 and is currently the Senior Director and Corporate Controller. Prior to joining Dynavax, Ms. Lew was Assistant Controller from 2002 to 2004 and Director of Finance from 2000 to 2002 at QRS Corporation. Ms. Lew, who is a certified public accountant, began her career at Ernst & Young in 1994.

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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.

Dynavax Technologies Corporation

Date: June 10, 2009

By: /s/ Deborah A. Smeltzer

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Deborah A. Smeltzer  
Vice President, Operations and Chief Financial Officer