

BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL INC  
Form 8-K  
December 23, 2004

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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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### FORM 8-K

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#### CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): December 23, 2004

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## BioMarin Pharmaceutical Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

**000-26727**  
(Commission File Number)

**68-0397820**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**105 Digital Drive, Novato, California**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**94949**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (415) 506-6700

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(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 8.01. Other Events.**

On December 23, 2004, BioMarin Pharmaceutical Inc. (the Company) issued a press release regarding the initiation of its Phase 2 clinical trial of Phenoptin. The Company's press release issued on December 23, 2004 is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(a) Financial Statements of Business Acquired.

Not Applicable.

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information.

Not Applicable.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release of the Company dated December 23, 2004.

**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.

BioMarin Pharmaceutical Inc.,

a Delaware corporation

Date: December 23, 2004

By: /s/ Jeffrey H. Cooper

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Jeffrey H. Cooper

Chief Financial Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
Exhibit 99.1	Press Release of the Company dated December 23, 2004.