December 22, 2004

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):

December 21, 2004

Vicuron Pharmaceuticals Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant As Specified in its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction

000-31145 (Commission File Number) 04-3278032 I.R.S. Employer

of Incorporation)

Identification Number)

455 South Gulph Road, Suite 305, King of Prussia, PA 19406

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(610) 205-2300

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

not applicable

(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):

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On December 21, 2004, Vicuron Pharmaceuticals Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing that the Company has submitted a New Drug Application (NDA) to the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) for dalbavancin, a novel antibiotic for the treatment of complicated skin and soft tissue infections. A copy of the press release is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release of Vicuron Pharmaceuticals Inc. dated December 21, 2004, reporting its submission of an NDA to the FDA for dalbavancin.

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.

VICURON PHARMACEUTICALS INC.

(Registrant)

Date: December 22, 2004 By: /s/ George F. Horner

George F. Horner III President and Chief Executive Officer

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