

WEST PHARMACEUTICAL SERVICES INC

Form 8-K

April 30, 2009

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 30, 2009

WEST PHARMACEUTICAL SERVICES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania
(State or other jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

1-8036
(Commission File Number)

23-1210010
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

101 Gordon Drive, PO Box
645, Lionville, PA
(Address of principal executive
offices)

19341-0645
(Zip Code)

(610) 594-2900
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable
(Former name or 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 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On April 30, 2009, West Pharmaceutical Services, Inc. (the “Company”) issued a press release announcing the Company’s financial results for the three month period ended March 31, 2009. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

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

| Exhibit # | Description |
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| 99.1 | West Pharmaceutical Services, Inc. Press Release, dated April 30, 2009. |
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EXHIBIT INDEX

Description

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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.

WEST PHARMACEUTICAL SERVICES, INC.

/s/ William J. Federici
William J. Federici
Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

April 30, 2009
