AFFYMAX INC Form 8-K July 12, 2012

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 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): July 12, 2012

AFFYMAX, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-33213 (Commission File Number) 77-0579396 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

4001 Miranda Avenue Palo Alto, California 94304

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(650) 812 -8700

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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- o 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 July 12, 2012, Takeda Pharmaceuticals U.S.A. and Affymax, Inc. announced that Takeda Pharmaceuticals America, Inc. had entered into a supply agreement for sourcing and supply of OMONTYS® (peginesatide) Injection to Fresenius Medical Care North America and certain of its affiliates. A press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01

Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits:

 Exhibit No.
 Description

 99.1
 Press Release entitled Takeda and Affymax Announce Supply Agreement FoOMONTYS® (Peginesatide) Injection with Fresenius Medical Care North America, dated July 12, 2012

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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.

AFFYMAX, INC.

Dated: July 12, 2012

By:

/s/ Grace U. Shin Grace U. Shin

General Counsel

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