MAP Pharmaceuticals, Inc. Form 8-K March 25, 2008

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): March 21, 2008

MAP PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

 $(Exact\ Name\ of\ Registrant\ as\ Specified\ in\ its\ Charter)$

Delaware001-3371920-0507047(State or Other Jurisdiction(Commission(IRS Employer)

of Incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

2400 Bayshore Parkway, Suite 200, Mountain View, CA

94043 (Zip Code)

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (650) 386-3100

(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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- " Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

In a press release issued on March 25, 2008, MAP Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (the Company) announced that its Board of Directors had appointed H. Ward Wolff as a member of the Company s Board of Directors (the Board) and the audit committee of the Board, effective as of March 21, 2008. In connection with his appointment to the Board, Mr. Wolff received an initial option grant of an option to purchase 30,000 shares of our common stock, which will vest as to one quarter of the total number of shares subject to the option on March 21,2009, with the remainder of the option vesting and becoming exercisable at a rate of $1/48^{th}$ of the total number of shares subject to the option each month thereafter.

The Company issued a press release dated March 25, 2008 announcing the foregoing, a copy of which press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release of MAP Pharmaceuticals, Inc., dated March 25, 2008

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: March 25, 2008

MAP PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

By: /s/ Charlene A. Friedman Name: Charlene A. Friedman

Title: Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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