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KING PHARMACEUTICALS INC Form 8-K October 26, 2007

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): October 26, 2007 (October 25, 2007) **King Pharmaceuticals, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Tennessee 001-15875 54-1384963

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (I.R.S. Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

501 Fifth Street, Bristol, Tennessee 37620

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (423) 989-8000

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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- o 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.

As previously reported, the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) had been conducting an investigation relating to our previously disclosed underpayments to governmental pricing programs and errors relating to reserves for product returns. On October 25, 2007, we received a letter from the Staff of the SEC stating that the investigation has been completed and that the Staff does not intend to recommend any enforcement action to the SEC. The Staff of the SEC notified us of its determination pursuant to the final paragraph of Securities Act Release No. 5310.

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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.

Date: October 26, 2007 KING PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

By: /s/ Joseph Squicciarino Joseph Squicciarino Chief Financial Officer