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ITEM 2.01

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 21, 2004

CELGENE CORPORATION
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	0-16132	22-2711928
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	n (Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
7 Powder Horn Drive, N	Warren, New Jersey	07059
(Address of principal	executive offices)	(Zip Code)
Registrant's telepho	ne number, including area code:	
(Former name or for	rmer address, if changed since	
simultaneously satisfy the :	elow if the Form 8-K filing is filing obligation of the regist eneral Instruction A.2. below):	rant under any of the
[] Written communications (17 CFR 230.425)	pursuant to Rule 425 under the	Securities Act
[] Soliciting material pu: (17 CFR 240.14a-12)	rsuant to Rule 14a-12 under the	Exchange Act
[] Pre-commencement commun Exchange Act (17 CFR 2	nications pursuant to Rule 14d-40.14d-2(b))	2(b) under the
[] Pre-commencement commun Exchange Act (17 CFR 2-	nications pursuant to Rule 13e-40.13e-4(c))	4(c) under the
ITEM 1.01 ENTRY INTO	O A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEME	NT

COMPLETION OF ACQUISITION OR DISPOSITION OF ASSETS

On October 21, 2004, Celgene Corporation and its operating subsidiary, Celgene

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UK Manufacturing Limited, entered into a definitive agreement to acquire, and simultaneously completed the acquisition (the "Acquisition") of, all of the outstanding shares of Penn T Limited ("Penn T"), the UK based manufacturer of THALOMID(R), from a consortium of private investors for approximately \$110 million in cash. The cash consideration was determined by the parties in arms-length negotiations and was paid from Celgene's existing cash and cash equivalents. A copy of the Share Acquisition Agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

Prior to the Acquisition, Celgene and Penn T were parties to a Manufacturing Agreement pursuant to which Penn T manufactured THALOMID(R) for Celgene.

In connection with the Acquisition, on October 21, 2004, Celgene and its operating subsidiary, Penn T, entered into a Technical Services Agreement with Penn Pharmaceutical Services Limited ("PPSL") and Penn Pharmaceutical Holding Limited pursuant to which PPSL will provide the services and facilities necessary for the manufacture of Celgene's requirements of THALOMID(R) and other Thalidomide formulations.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

- (a) To be filed by amendment.
- (b) To be filed by amendment.
- (c) Exhibit 99.1 Share Acquisition Agreement dated October 21, 2004

SIGNATURES

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

CELGENE CORPORATION

Date: October 26, 2004 By: /s/ Robert J. Hugin

Name: Robert J. Hugin

Title: Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Share Acquisition Agreement dated October 21, 2004