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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

May 6, 2005

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

Medicis Pharmaceutical Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 0-18443 52-1574808

(State of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification Number)

8125 North Hayden Road Scottsdale, Arizona 85258-2463

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(602) 808-8800

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(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:

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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.

On May 6, 2005, Medicis Pharmaceutical Corporation (Medicis) and Inamed Corporation (Inamed) issued a joint press release announcing that they have each received a request for additional information from the Federal Trade Commission pursuant to the notification requirements of the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, as amended, in connection with Medicis and Inamed s pending merger.

For additional information concerning the foregoing, a copy of the joint press release dated May 6, 2005 is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (c) Exhibits. The following exhibit is being filed herewith:
 - 99.1 Joint Press Release dated May 6, 2005

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SIGNATURES

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: May 6, 2005 By: /s/ Mark A. Prygocki, Sr.

Mark A. Prygocki, Sr.

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial

Officer,

Corporate Secretary and Treasurer