ATHEROGENICS INC Form 8-K July 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): July 26, 2007

#### ATHEROGENICS, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Georgia	0-31261	58-2108232	
(State or other	(Commission	(I.R.S. Employer	
jurisdiction			
of incorporation)	File Number)	er) Identification	
		Number)	

#### 8995 Westside Parkway Alpharetta, GA 30004

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (678) 336-2500

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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):

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

# Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On July 26, 2007, AtheroGenics, Inc. issued a press release to report the company's financial results for the 2nd quarter and six months ended June 30, 2007. A copy of the press release is attached to this current report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

The followin	g exhibit is	furnished as	part of this	current repor	t on Form 8-K.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 – Press Release dated July 26, 2007

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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.

# ATHEROGENICS, INC.

Date: July 26, 2007 /s/MARK P. COLONNESE

Mark P. Colonnese

Executive Vice President, Commercial

Operations

and Chief Financial Officer

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# **EXHIBIT INDEX**

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