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**Item 5.03 Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.**

On August 8, 2006, the Securities and Exchange Commission approved a new NASDAQ listing standard setting forth Direct Registration System ("DRS") eligibility requirements, which require listed companies to become DRS eligible by January 1, 2008. DRS enables investors to maintain securities electronically on the books of a transfer agent or issuer, and allows for the electronic transfer of securities. To meet DRS Requirements, on July 24, 2007, the Board of Directors of Matria Healthcare, Inc. (the "Company") amended the Company's bylaws to allow for the issuance of uncertificated shares.

The Bylaws, as amended, are attached hereto as Exhibit 3.1 and are incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibit is furnished herewith:

3.1 Amended Bylaws of Matria Healthcare, Inc.

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 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.

**Matria Healthcare, Inc.**

Date: July 30, 2007

By: /s/ Parker H. Petit  
Parker H. Petit  
Chairman and Chief Executive  
Officer

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