

ABIOMED INC  
Form 8-K/A  
August 14, 2007

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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K/A**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report: May 30, 2007

(Date of earliest event reported)

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**ABIOMED, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation)

**04-2743260**  
(IRS Employer

Identification Number)

**0-20584**

(Commission File Number)

**22 Cherry Hill Drive**

**Danvers, MA 01923**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices, including Zip Code)

**(978) 777-5410**

(Registrant's Telephone Number, including Area Code)

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**Not Applicable**

**(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)**

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- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  
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  - .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On May 31, 2007, we filed a current report on Form 8-K announcing that on May 30, 2007 we elected Dr. Eric A. Rose to our Board of Directors. At that time, we had not yet determined which committees of the Board of Directors Dr. Rose would be serving on. On August 8, 2007, Dr. Rose was appointed to our Governance and Nominating Committee.

**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 thereunto duly authorized.

ABIOMED, Inc.

By: /s/ Michael R. Minogue  
Michael R. Minogue  
President and Chief Executive Officer

Date: August 14, 2007