

Altus Pharmaceuticals Inc.  
Form 8-K  
March 19, 2008

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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

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported):

March 14, 2008

**Altus Pharmaceuticals Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

0-51711

04-3573277

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

640 Memorial Drive, Cambridge,  
Massachusetts

02139

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

617-299-2900

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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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 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.**

In August 2006, we entered into a drug production and clinical supply agreement with Althea Technologies, Inc., or Althea. Under this agreement, Althea agreed to modify an existing production facility, and test and validate its manufacturing operations for the production of ALTU-238. The agreement provides for the production of a defined number of manufacturing runs of ALTU-238, from which we intend to supply planned clinical trials. Under the agreement, the parties agreed to prepare a definitive manufacturing project plan and schedule for these activities. The agreement was amended on June 25, 2007.

On March 14, 2008, the parties executed a second amendment to the agreement that sets forth a modified manufacturing plan and schedule for the project. In addition, Althea has agreed to reserve its production facility for an additional period of time at a specified price and the parties reset the defined number of manufacturing runs. The parties also agreed to revise the term of the agreement, so that it expires on the earlier of March 31, 2010 or until the production and delivery of a specified number of batches of drug product.

The foregoing is a summary description of certain terms of the second amendment. Altus intends to file the second amendment as an exhibit to its Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ending March 31, 2008.

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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.

*March 19, 2008*

Altus Pharmaceuticals Inc.

By: *Jonathan I. Lieber*

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*Name: Jonathan I. Lieber*

*Title: Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer*