

BION ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGIES INC

Form 8-A12B

August 16, 2002

Form 8-A

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FOR REGISTRATION OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF SECURITIES  
PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(b) OR (g) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

BION ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

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(Exact name of Corporation as specified in its charter)

Colorado

84-176672

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(State of incorporation  
or organization)

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(IRS Employer  
Identification Number)

18 East 50th Street, 10th Floor  
New York, New York

10022

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(Address of principal executive offices)

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(Zip Code)

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class  
to be so registered  
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Name of each exchange on which  
each class is to be registered  
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Common Stock, no par value

The Philadelphia Stock Exchange

If this Form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to  
Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General  
Instruction A.(d), check the following box. [ ]

Securities Act registration statement file number to which this form relates  
(if applicable): Not Applicable

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act: None

ITEM 1. DESCRIPTION OF CORPORATION'S SECURITIES TO BE REGISTERED

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The Company is authorized to issue 100,000,000 shares of no par value Common Stock. Holders of Common Stock are entitled to cast one vote for each share held of record on all matters presented to shareholders. Shareholders do not have cumulative rights; hence, the holders of more than 50% of the outstanding Common Stock can elect directors.

Holders of Common Stock are entitled to receive such dividends as may be declared by the Board of Directors out of funds legally available therefor. In the event of liquidation, holders of Common Stock will share pro rata in any distribution of our assets after payment of all liabilities. The Company does not anticipate that any dividends on Common Stock will be declared or paid in the foreseeable future. Holders of Common Stock do not have any rights of redemption or conversion or preemptive rights to subscribe to additional shares if issued by us. All of the outstanding shares of Common Stock are fully paid and nonassessable.

### ITEM 2. EXHIBITS

The following exhibits have been filed with the Philadelphia Stock Exchange:

1. Articles of Incorporation, as amended.
2. First Amended and Restated Bylaws.
3. Specimen Stock Certificate.

### SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this registration statement on Form 8-A to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereto duly authorized.

BION ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By: /s/ David Mitchell

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David Mitchell, President

Date: August 16, 2002