

TARGETED GENETICS CORP /WA/

Form 8-K

August 16, 2005

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): August 15, 2005
Targeted Genetics Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Washington

0-23930

91-1549568

(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

(Commission File
Number)

(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

1100 Olive Way, Suite 100, Seattle, Washington

98101

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (206) 623-7612

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 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.

On August 15, 2005, the Board of Directors appointed a new member, Roger Hawley as a Class II director. Mr. Hawley has served as Vice President, Commercial and Technical Operations of InterMune Pharmaceuticals since July 2003. From October 2002 to July 2003, Mr. Hawley served as Chief Commercial Officer at Prometheus Laboratories, Inc., a specialty pharmaceutical company. From 2001 to 2002, Mr. Hawley served as Vice President/General Manager of Sales and Marketing at Elan Pharmaceuticals, Inc., a biopharmaceutical company. From 1987 to 2001, Mr. Hawley held various management positions in corporate finance, sales, and marketing at GlaxoSmithKline, Inc. Mr. Hawley holds a B.S. in accounting from Eastern Illinois University.

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.

TARGETED GENETICS CORPORATION

By: /s/ TODD E. SIMPSON
Todd E. Simpson
Vice President, Finance and
Administration and Chief Financial
Officer, Secretary and Treasurer
(Principal Financial and Accounting
Officer)

Dated: August 15, 2005