

PALATIN TECHNOLOGIES INC
Form 8-K
April 18, 2006

**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): April 17, 2006

Palatin Technologies, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

001-15543

(Commission
File Number)

95-4078884

(IRS employer
identification number)

4C Cedar Brook Drive, Cranbury, NJ

(Address of principal executive offices)

08512

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(609) 495-2200**

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events

On April 17, 2006, we issued a press release concerning the closing of our previously announced offering of 11,000,000 units of common stock and warrants at \$2.44 per unit in a registered direct offering. Our gross proceeds are approximately \$27 million. We intend to use the proceeds, after deducting offering costs, for general corporate purposes, including the clinical development of our lead product candidate, bremelanotide. We have included that press release as Exhibit 99 to this report.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits:

99 Press Release dated April 17, 2006

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

PALATIN TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By: /s/ Stephen T. Wills
Stephen T. Wills, CPA, MST
Executive Vice President - Operations and
Chief Financial Officer

Date: April 17, 2006

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99 Press Release dated April 17, 2006