PALATIN TECHNOLOGIES INC Form 8-K September 21, 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): September 19, 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

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Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

Effective October 1, 2006, the annual retainer for the Chairman of the Board of Palatin Technologies, Inc., John K.A. Prendergast, Ph.D., will be \$60,000, as approved by our Board of Directors on September 19, 2006.

In addition, on September 19, 2006, the Board granted Dr. Prendergast an option to purchase 40,000 shares of our common stock at an exercise price of \$2.11 per share, which vests in ten monthly installments beginning September 30, 2006 and expires in 2016.

SIGNATURES

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: September 21, 2006

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