NOVEN PHARMACEUTICALS INC Form 8-K November 19, 2004

# 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):

November 16, 2004

## Noven Pharmaceuticals, Inc

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	0-17254	59-2767632
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
11960 S.W. 144th Street, Miami, Florida		33186
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code:		305-253-5009
	Not Applicable	
Former nar	me or former address, if changed since l	ast report
Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing he following provisions:	ng is intended to simultaneously satisfy	the filing obligation of the registrant under any of
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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.

On November 16, 2004, the Board of Directors ("Board") of Noven Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (the "Company") increased the size of the Board to seven persons and appointed Pedro P. Granadillo as a new member of the Board. Mr. Granadillo was also appointed to the Company's Compensation and Stock Option Committee. A copy of the press release issued by the Company announcing Mr. Granadillo's appointment to the Board is attached as an exhibit to this report.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release of Noven Pharmaceuticals, Inc. dated November 19, 2004.

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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.

Noven Pharmaceuticals, Inc

November 19, 2004 By: \( /s/\) Jeffrey F. Eisenberg

Name: Jeffrey F. Eisenberg

Title: Vice President - Strategic Alliances, General Counsel

and Corporate Secretary

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Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press Release of Noven Pharmaceuticals, Inc. dated November 19, 2004.