December 21, 2006

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) December 21, 2006 (December 15, 2006)

BioDelivery Sciences International, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction 0-28931 (Commission File Number) 35-2089858 (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

Identification No.)

2501 Aerial Center Parkway, Suite 205

Morrisville, North Carolina (Address of principal executive offices)

07103 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (919) 653-5160

Not Applicable

 $(Former\ name\ or\ former\ address,\ if\ changed\ since\ last\ report)$

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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

On December 15, 2006, Mark A. Salyer, Executive Vice President of Sales and Marketing of BioDelivery Sciences International, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the Company) provided written notice to the Company of his intention to voluntarily resign from the Company for personal reasons. Mr. Salyer s employment with the Company will end on January 14, 2007.

Mr. Salyer s departure from the Company was at his own initiative and was not based on any disagreement with the Company s management or board of directors on any matter, including those relating to the Company s operations, policies or practices. The Company will ultimately look to replace Mr. Salyer and does not expect Mr. Salyer s departure to have a material impact on the Company s operations.

This Current Report on Form 8-K may contain, among other things, certain forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, including, without limitation, statements with respect to the Company's plans, objectives, expectations and intentions and other statements identified by words such as may, could, would, should, believes, expects, anticipates, estimates plans or similar expressions. These statements are based upon the current beliefs and expectations of the Company's management and are subject to significant risks and uncertainties. Actual results may differ from those set forth in the forward-looking statements. These forward-looking statements involve certain risks and uncertainties that are subject to change based on various factors (many of which are beyond the Company's control).

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

December 21, 2006

BIODELIVERY SCIENCES INTERNATIONAL, INC.

By: /s/ Mark A. Sirgo Name: Mark A. Sirgo

Title: President and Chief Operating Officer