

TorreyPines Therapeutics, Inc.
Form 8-K
November 12, 2008

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 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 6, 2008

TORREYPINES THERAPEUTICS, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other	000-25571 (Commission	86-0883978 (IRS Employer
Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	File Number)	Identification No.)

11085 North Torrey Pines Road, Suite 300, La Jolla, CA
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

92037
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (858) 623-5665

(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))

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

On November 6, 2008, the Board of Directors of TorreyPines Therapeutics, Inc., a Delaware Corporation (the *Company*), appointed Evelyn Graham, the Company's acting Chief Executive Officer, as the Company's Chief Executive Officer. Ms. Graham was also appointed to the Company's Board of Directors.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) The following exhibit is furnished herewith:

99.1 Press release dated November 12, 2008.

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.

TORREYPINES THERAPEUTICS, INC.

Date: November 12, 2008

By: /s/ Craig Johnson
Name: Craig Johnson
Title: Vice President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer

INDEX TO EXHIBITS

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press release dated November 12, 2008.