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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE

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Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): August 7, 2008 ALKERMES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

PENNSYLVANIA 1-14131 23-2472830
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

88 Sidney Street Cambridge, Massachusetts

02139

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (617) 494-0171

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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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On August 7, 2008, Alkermes, Inc. announced financial results for its first quarter fiscal 2009. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1. This information, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act, or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

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No. Description

99.1 Press release issued by Alkermes, Inc. dated August 7, 2008 announcing first quarter fiscal 2009 results.

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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.

ALKERMES, INC.

Date: August 7, 2008 By: /s/ James M. Frates

James M. Frates

Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

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