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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): July 12, 2010

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New Jersey (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) I-3215 (Commission File Number) 22-1024240 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

One Johnson & Johnson Plaza, New Brunswick, New Jersey 08933 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 732-524-0400

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Item 8.01. Other Events.

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On July 12, 2010, the Company and Micrus Endovascular Corporation, a global developer and manufacturer of minimally invasive devices to address hemorrhagic and ischemic stroke, issued a press release to announce a definitive agreement whereby Micrus Endovascular will be acquired in a cash for stock exchange. The press release is attached to this Report as Exhibit 99.1.

Exhibit Description

99.1 Press release dated July 12, 2010

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.

Johnson & Johnson

(Registrant)

Date: July 12, 2010 By: /s/ Douglas K. Chia

Douglas K. Chia Secretary