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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): July 7, 2008 INVERNESS MEDICAL INNOVATIONS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Delaware 1-16789 04-3565120

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

51 Sawyer Road, Suite 200, Waltham, Massachusetts 02453

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(781) 647-3900

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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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Item 8.01. Other Events.

Inverness Medical Innovations, Inc. (the Company) is filing this Current Report on Form 8-K to provide the legal opinion of Jay McNamara, Esq., the Company s Senior Counsel, Corporate & Finance, relating to the Company s prospectus supplement filed with the SEC on July 7, 2008, that forms a part of the Company s registration statement filed with the SEC on November 22, 2006 (File No. 333-138919).

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description
5.1	Opinion of Jay McNamara, Esq., Senior Counsel, Corporate & Finance, of the Company
23.1	Consent of Jay McNamara, Esq., Senior Counsel, Corporate & Finance, of the Company (included in Exhibit 5.1)

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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.

INVERNESS MEDICAL INNOVATIONS, INC.

Date: July 7, 2008 By: /s/ Jay McNamara

Jay McNamara

Senior Counsel, Corporate & Finance