MEDAREX INC Form 8-K January 20, 2006

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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)

January 20, 2006 (January 17, 2006)

MEDAREX, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New Jersey (State of other jurisdiction of incorporation) 0-19312 (Commission File Number) 22-2822175 (IRS Employer Identification No.) 707 State Road, Princeton, N.J. 08540-1437

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (609) 430-2880

Not Applicable

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

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Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Agreement.

On January 17, 2006, the Board of Directors of Medarex, Inc. approved amendments to the 2005 Equity Incentive Plan and Medarex s First and Second 2004 Restricted Stock Unit Award and Deferred Compensation Programs (collectively, the Plans) to comply with recent changes to Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Copies of the amended Plans are attached as exhibits to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibit
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(c) Exhibits. The following materials are filed as exhibits to this Current Report on Form 8-K:

Exhibit Number

99.1 Medarex, Inc. 2005 Equity Incentive Plan, as amended.

- 99.2 Medarex, Inc. First 2004 Restricted Stock Unit Award and Deferred Compensation Program, as amended.
- 99.3 Medarex, Inc. Second 2004 Restricted Stock Unit Award and Deferred Compensation Program, as amended.

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SIGNATURE

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.

MEDAREX, INC. Registrant

Date: January 20, 2006

By: /s/ Christian S. Schade Christian S. Schade Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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