

Manitex International, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
July 17, 2012

**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 the earliest event reported) July 17, 2012**

**MANITEX INTERNATIONAL, INC.**

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)**

**Michigan**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction**  
  
**of Incorporation)**

**001-32401**  
**(Commission**  
  
**File Number)**

**42-1628978**  
**(IRS Employer**  
  
**Identification No.)**

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**9725 Industrial Drive,**

**Bridgeview, Illinois**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**(708) 430-7500**

**60455**  
(Zip Code)

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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:

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

We are filing this Current Report on Form 8-K solely to add exhibits to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-3 (File No. 333-176189).

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements Exhibits.**

(d) *Exhibits.*

See the Exhibit Index set forth below for a list of exhibits included with this Current Report on Form 8-K.

**Signature**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Company has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunder duly authorized.

Date: July 17, 2012

**MANITEX INTERNATIONAL, INC.**

By: /s/ David H. Gransee

Name: David H. Gransee

Title: Vice President & Chief Financial Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

Exhibit No.	Description of Exhibit
5.1	Opinion of Bowen, Radabaugh & Milton, P.C.
23.1	Consent of Bowen, Radabaugh & Milton, P.C. (included in Exhibit 5.1)