SCHERING PLOUGH CORP Form 8-K September 18, 2007

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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): September 17, 2007
SCHERING-PLOUGH CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

New Jersey (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 1-6571 (Commission File Number) 22-1918501 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

2000 Galloping Hill Road Kenilworth, NJ 07033

(Address of Principal Executive Office)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (908) 298-4000

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Item 5.03. Amendment to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

The Schering-Plough Corporation Certificate of Incorporation was amended and restated on September 17, 2007 to reflect: (1) the automatic conversion of the 2004 mandatory convertible preferred stock issued into shares of common stock on September 14, 2007; and (2) the terms of the 2007 mandatory convertible preferred stock. Shareholder approval was not required for these actions.

The Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation is attached to this 8-K as Exhibit 3.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- 3.1 Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation

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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.

Schering-Plough Corporation

By: /s/ Susan Ellen Wolf
Susan Ellen Wolf
Corporate Secretary,
Vice President Corporate Governance

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Associate General Counsel

Date: September 18, 2007

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Number Description

3.1 Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation