

SIRONA DENTAL SYSTEMS, INC.

Form 8-K

December 04, 2008

**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: December 4, 2008**

(Date of earliest event reported)

**SIRONA DENTAL SYSTEMS, INC**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

**000-22673**  
(Commission File Number)

**11-3374812**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

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30-30 47th Avenue, Suite 500

Long Island City, New York  
(Address of principal executive offices)

11101  
(Zip Code)

(718) 937-5765

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(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**

On December 4, 2008, Sirona Dental Systems, Inc. (the Company ) announced that its board of directors has approved the repurchase of up to an aggregate of \$50 million of its common stock in open market transactions. The Company intends to enter into a share repurchase plan under Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to facilitate the repurchase. The purchases of common stock will be subject to parameters specified in the Rule 10b5-1 plan and accordingly may be suspended or discontinued at any time, without prior notice.

The Company s press release dated December 4, 2008, announcing a share repurchase program, is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

**ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, PRO FORMA FINANCIAL INFORMATION AND EXHIBITS**

| <b>Exhibit No.</b> | <b>Description</b>                                                                                                      |
|--------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 99.1               | Press Release, dated Thursday, December 4, 2008, of Sirona Dental Systems, Inc., announcing a share repurchase program. |

**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.

SIRONA DENTAL SYSTEMS, INC.

(Registrant)

Date: December 4, 2008

By: /s/ Jonathan Friedman  
Jonathan Friedman  
Secretary and General Counsel

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