VENTRUS BIOSCIENCES INC Form 8-K January 07, 2011

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): January 7, 2011

VENTRUS BIOSCIENCES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-35005 20-8729264 (State or other (Commission (IRS jurisdiction of File **Employer** incorporation) Number) ID Number) 787 7th 10019 Avenue, 48th Floor, New York, New York (Address (Zip Code) of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (212) 554-4300

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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 January 7, 2011, Ventrus Biosciences, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that the underwriters of the Company's initial public offering exercised their over-allotment option to purchase an additional 435,000 shares at \$6.00 per share. A copy of this press release is attached.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release dated January 7, 2011 announcing that the underwriters of the Company's initial public offering exercised their over-allotment option to purchase an additional 435,000 shares at \$6.00 per share.

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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.

VENTRUS BIOSCIENCES, INC.

Date: January 7, 2011 /s/ David J. Barrett

David J. Barrett, Chief Financial Officer

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