

ORASURE TECHNOLOGIES INC  
Form 8-K  
February 27, 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 earliest event reported): February 24, 2012**

**OraSure Technologies, Inc.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation)

**001-16537**  
(Commission

File Number)

**36-4370966**  
(I.R.S. Employer

Identification No.)

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**220 East First Street**

**Bethlehem, Pennsylvania**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 610-882-1820**

**18015-1360**  
(Zip Code)

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 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.**

OraSure Technologies, Inc. (the Company) and Comerica Bank (Comerica) are parties to a Loan and Security Agreement, dated as of September 10, 2002, as amended (the Loan Agreement), pursuant to which Comerica has provided the Company with certain credit facilities, including a \$10.0 million advance to fund the expansion of certain Company facilities (the Expansion Advance), which had a maturity date of February 27, 2012. A Ninth Amendment to Loan and Security Agreement, dated as of February 24, 2012, was executed by the Company and Comerica (the Ninth Amendment) in order to extend the maturity date of the Expansion Advance to May 27, 2012. A copy of the Ninth Amendment is attached as Exhibit 10 to this Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**(d) Exhibits**

<b>Exhibit Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
10	Ninth Amendment to Loan and Security Agreement, dated as of February 24, 2012, between OraSure Technologies, Inc. and Comerica Bank.

**Signatures**

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

ORASURE TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Date: February 27, 2012

By: */s/ Jack E. Jerrett*  
Jack E. Jerrett  
Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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