STEMCELLS INC Form 8-K August 10, 2010

# 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 Earlie | est Event Reported): | August 10, 2010 |
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|                                |                      |                 |

# StemCells, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

| Delaware   | 000-19871                        | 94-3078125   |
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| (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)               | (Commission<br>File Number)      | (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)                 |
| 3155 Porter Drive, Palo Alto, California                     |                                  | 94304  |
| (Address of principal executive offices)                     |                                  | (Zip Code)   |
| Registrant s telephone number, including area code:          |                                  | 650.475.3100   |
|  | Not Applicable                   |  |
| Former name or f   | former address, if changed since | last report  |
| Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is in | tended to simultaneously satisfy | the filing obligation of the registrant under any of |
| the following provisions:                                    |                                  |  |
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On August 10, 2010, StemCells, Inc. reported financial results and highlights for the second quarter ended June 30, 2010.

The full text of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release of StemCells, Inc. dated August 10, 2010

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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.

StemCells, Inc.

August 10, 2010 By: /s/ Kenneth Stratton

Name: Kenneth Stratton Title: General Counsel

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| Exhibit No. | Description  |  |
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| 99.1        | Press Release of StemCells, Inc. dated August 10, 2010 |  |