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: September 28, 2005 (Date of earliest event reported)

INCYTE CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

0-27488 (Commission File Number)

94-3136539 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

Experimental Station, Route
141 & Henry Clay Road,
Building E336
Wilmington, DE
(Address of principal executive
offices)

19880 (Zip Code)

(302) 498-6700

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS.

On September 28, 2005, Incyte Corporation ("Incyte") publicly announced that it met with representatives from the Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") on September 27, 2005, regarding the development of ReversetTM, Incyte's nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitor ("NRTI") that is being developed as a therapy for treatment-experienced HIV patients.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the results of a recently completed Phase II trial, which were presented in July 2005 at the International AIDS Society meeting, and Incyte's plans to move Reverset into two Phase III pivotal trials. At the meeting, the FDA did not approve of Incyte's moving into Phase III studies. The agency requested that Incyte conduct another Phase II trial to provide additional data to support the efficacy and safety demonstrated in the original Phase II study with the drug.

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SIGNATURE

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.

Dated: September 28, 2005

sy: ______/s/ Patricia A. Schreck

Patricia A. Schreck Executive Vice President and General Counsel