HARVARD BIOSCIENCE INC Form 8-K May 07, 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) May 3, 2012

HARVARD BIOSCIENCE, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

(State or oth	aware ner jurisdiction rporation)	001-33957 (Commission File Number)	04-330 (IRS Employer Ide		
	ctober Hill Road, Holliston, MA ess of principal executive offices) Registrant's teleph		01746 (Zip Code) (508) 893-8999		
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)					
Check the appropriate the following provision	•	is intended to simultaneously satisfy	v the filing obligation of the reg	gistrant under any of	
[]	[] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)			0.14d-2(b))	
[] I	Pre-commencement communication	ons pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under	the Exchange Act (17 CFR 24)	0.13e-4(c))	

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

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On May 3, 2012, Harvard Bioscience, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing financial results for the three months ended March 31, 2012. The press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference. The information in Item 2.02 of this Current Report on Form 8-K and Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

Number <u>Title</u>

99.1 Press release of Harvard Bioscience, Inc. issued on May 3, 2012.

SIGNATURE

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

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	HARVARD BIOSCIENCE, INC.	
	(Registrant)	
May 7, 2012	/s/ THOMAS MCNAUGHTON	
(Date)	Thomas McNaughton	
	Chief Financial Officer & Principal Accounting Officer	