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

June 1, 2011 Date of report (Date of earliest event reported)

BIOLIFE SOLUTIONS, INC. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 0-18710 (Commission File No.) 94-3076866 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

3303 Monte Villa Parkway, Bothell, WA 98021 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(425) 402-1400 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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ITEM 8.01.

Other Events

On June 1, 2011, the Company issued the press release attached hereto as Exhibit 9.01(e).

ITEM 9.01.

Exhibits

Press release dated June 1, 2011.

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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.

Date: June 1, 2011

BIOLIFE SOLUTIONS, INC.

By:

/s/Mike Rice Mike Rice President and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)

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Exhibit Number Description

9.01(e) Press release dated June 1, 2011.