

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 25, 2005

Chembio Diagnostics, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

333-85787

(Commission File Number)

88-0425691

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**3661 Horseblock Road, Medford, NY 11763**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (631) 924-1135

**N/A**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- ☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**ITEM 8.01. Other Events.**

On May 25, 2005, the Registrant issued the press release included herein as Exhibit 99.1.

**ITEM 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release issued May 25, 2005.

**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 thereunto duly authorized.

Date: May 25, 2005

CHEMBIO DIAGNOSTICS, INC.

By: /s/ Lawrence A. Siebert

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Lawrence A. Siebert  
Chief Executive Officer

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**PRESS RELEASE**

**FOR RELEASE: Wednesday, May 25, 2005**

**CHEMBIO DIAGNOSTICS, INC.'S REGISTRATION  
STATEMENT BECOMES EFFECTIVE**

MEDFORD, New York - (May 25, 2005) Chembio Diagnostics, Inc. (OTCBB:CEMI) announced today that its latest registration statement on Form SB-2 became effective with the Securities and Exchange Commission at 4:00 p.m. on May 23, 2005.

Lawrence Siebert, CEO of Chembio stated, "We are extremely pleased that our registration statement has become effective. I look forward to keeping our shareholders and the investment community apprised of our team's efforts in building Chembio into a leading diagnostics company."

**ABOUT CHEMBIO**

Chembio Diagnostics, Inc. (Chembio) possesses expertise in the development and manufacturing of rapid test products for various infectious diseases, including HIV, Tuberculosis and Chagas Disease. References to Chembio Diagnostics, Inc. may actually refer to Chembio Diagnostic Systems, Inc., the 100%-owned subsidiary of Chembio Diagnostics, Inc. Chembio is located at 3661 Horseblock Road, Medford, NY 11763. Chembio's telephone number is 631-924-1135. Email can be directed to [info@chembio.com](mailto:info@chembio.com). Additional information can be found at [www.chembio.com](http://www.chembio.com).

**FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS**

Statements contained herein that are not historical facts may be forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. Forward-looking statements include statements regarding the intent, belief or current expectations of the Company and its management. Such statements reflect management's current views, are based on certain assumptions and involve risks and uncertainties. Actual results, events, or performance may differ materially from the above forward-looking statements due to a number of important factors, and will be dependent upon a variety of factors, including, but not limited to, the Company's ability to obtain additional financing and the demand for the Company's products. The Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update these forward-looking statements to reflect events or circumstances that occur after the date hereof or to reflect any change in the Company's expectations with regard to these forward-looking statements or the occurrence of unanticipated events. Factors that may impact the Company's success are more fully disclosed in the Company's most recent public filings with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission.

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