ANTARES PHARMA INC Form 8-K June 05, 2003

> 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 30, 2003

ANTARES PHARMA, INC. _____ (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Minnesota _____

(State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission of Incorporation)

0-20945 41-1350192 _____

(Commission (I.R.S. Employer File Number) Identification No.)

707 Eagleview Boulevard, Suite 414, Exton, PA 19341 _____ (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (610) 458-6200

Not Applicable _____

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Item 5. Other Events and Required FD Disclosure.

On June 5, 2003, Antares Pharma, Inc. (the "Company") announced that, by letter dated May 30, 2003, the Listing Qualifications arm of The Nasdaq Stock Market, Inc. notified the Company that it fails to meet certain independent director and audit committee requirements as set forth in Nasdaq Marketplace Rules 4350(c) and 4350(d)(2). The Company is in discussions with Nasdaq

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regarding receiving a waiver on this compliance issue.

A copy of the press release issued by the Company on June 5, 2003, is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 $\,$

Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release dated June 5, 2003.

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.

Date: June 5, 2003

By /s/ Lawrence M. Christian

Lawrence M. Christian Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

99.1 Press Release dated June 5, 2003.