

MERGE HEALTHCARE INC  
Form 8-K  
September 30, 2010

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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):

September 27, 2010

MERGE HEALTHCARE INCORPORATED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

0-29486

39-1600938

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

900 Walnut Ridge Drive, Hartland, Wisconsin

53029-8347

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

262-367-0700

Not Applicable

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:

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**Item 5.03 Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.**

On September 27, 2010, Merge Healthcare Incorporated (the "Registrant") filed a Certificate of Amendment to its Amended Certificate of Incorporation with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware. The Certificate of Amendment reflects the increase in the Registrant's authorized Common Stock to 150,000,000 as approved by its stockholders on September 21, 2010, and the removal of the Preferred Series 3 Special Voting Stock. A copy of the Certificate of Amendment to the Registrant's Certificate of Incorporation is attached as Exhibit 3.1 hereto and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

Exhibit 3.1 Amendment to the Amended Certificate of Incorporation dated as of September 27, 2010.

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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.

MERGE HEALTHCARE INCORPORATED

*September 30, 2010*

By: *Ann G. Mayberry-French*

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*Name: Ann G. Mayberry-French*  
*Title: General Counsel*

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<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
3.1	Amendment to the Amended Certificate of Incorporation dated as of September 27, 2010