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Form 8-K February 27, 2002

> 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: FEBRUARY 27, 2002

DATE OF EARLIEST EVENT REPORTED: FEBRUARY 27, 2002

ICN PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE incorporation or organization)

1-11397

33-0628076 (State or other (Commission File (I.R.S. Employer jurisdiction of number) Identification Number)

> 3300 HYLAND AVENUE COSTA MESA, CALIFORNIA 92626 (Address of principal executive offices)

REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA CODE: (714) 545-0100

Item 5. Other Events.

On February 27, 2002, the registrant issued the press release filed as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit Description ----_____

99.1 Press Release issued February 27, 2002.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on behalf of

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the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: February 27, 2002

ICN PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

By: /s/ Gregory Keever

Gregory Keever

Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary

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