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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) January 4, 2007

VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

| Delaware | 1-7598 | 94-2359345 |
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| (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (IRS Employer Identification No.) |
| 3100 Hansen Way, Palo Alto, CA | | 94304-1030 |

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (650) 493-4000

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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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 January 4, 2007, Varian Medical Systems, Inc. issued a press release

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regarding its agreement to acquire ACCEL Instruments GmbH. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference into this item.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release dated January 4, 2007 titled "Varian Medical Systems Announces Intent To Acquire ACCEL Instruments GmbH; Company To Supply Proton Therapy Products for Cancer Treatments."

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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.

Varian Medical Systems, Inc.

By: /s/ JOHN W. KUO

General Counsel and Secretary

Name: John W. Kuo Title: Corporate Vice President,

Dated: January 4, 2007

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