

PHARMION CORP  
Form DEFA14A  
January 03, 2008

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM 8-K

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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 3, 2008

Pharmion Corporation  
(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

|   |                          |                                      |
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| Delaware  | 000-50447                | 84-1521333                           |
| (State or other jurisdiction of<br>incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (IRS Employer<br>Identification No.) |

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| 2525 28th Street, Boulder, Colorado      | 80301      |
| (Address of principal executive offices) | (Zip Code) |

720-564-9100  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On January 3, 2008, Pharmion Corporation announced that the waiting period under the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, as amended, has expired without the United States Federal Trade Commission requesting additional information with regard to Celgene Corporation's pending acquisition of Pharmion. The press release is attached hereto as an exhibit and is incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d)

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release issued by Celgene Corporation and Pharmion Corporation, dated January 3, 2008

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: January 3, 2008

PHARMION CORPORATION

By: /s/ Steven N. Dupont

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Name: Steven N. Dupont  
Title: Executive Vice President  
and General Counsel

EXHIBIT INDEX

| Exhibit No.<br>----- | Description<br>-----  |
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