

DYNAVAX TECHNOLOGIES CORP  
Form 8-K  
May 20, 2008

---

**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): 05/16/2008**

**Dynavax Technologies Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Commission File Number: 000-50577**

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

**33-0728374**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**2929 Seventh Street, Suite 100**  
Berkeley, CA 94710-2753  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**(510) 848-5100**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
  - 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 May 16, 2008, Dynavax Technologies Corporation issued a press release announcing statistical significance on the primary efficacy endpoint for its Phase 2b environmental exposure chamber study was not achieved. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

---

**Signature(s)**

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.

Dynavax Technologies Corporation

Date: May 20, 2008

By: /s/ Deborah A. Smeltzer

---

Deborah A. Smeltzer  
Vice President, Operations and Chief Financial Officer

**Exhibit Index**

<b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
EX-99.1	Press Release, dated May 16, 2008, entitled "DYNAVAX TOLAMBA CHAMBER STUDY MISSES PRIMARY ENDPOINT; COMPANY UPDATES 2008 FINANCIAL OUTLOOK."