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Form 8-K  
December 15, 2005

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): December 9, 2005

INTEGRA LIFESCIENCES HOLDINGS CORPORATION  
(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	0-26224	51-0317849
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

311 Enterprise Drive  
Plainsboro, NJ 08536  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (609) 275-0500

Not Applicable  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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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 December 9, 2005, the waiting period under the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, as amended, relating to the pending acquisition of the

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assets of the Radionics Division of Tyco Healthcare Group LP from Tyco Healthcare Group LP and Sherwood Services, AG by Integra LifeSciences Corporation and Integra LifeSciences (Ireland) Limited, wholly owned subsidiaries of Integra LifeSciences Holdings Corporation ("Integra"), expired.

Completion of the acquisition remains subject to customary closing conditions, including a fiscal year-end financial audit. Integra currently contemplates that the closing will occur during the first quarter of 2006.

A copy of the press release issued by the Company is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated by reference into this Item.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description of Exhibit
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99.1	Press release issued December 12, 2005

SIGNATURES

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.

INTEGRA LIFESCIENCES HOLDINGS CORPORATION

Date: December 15, 2005

By: /s/ Stuart M. Essig

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Stuart M. Essig  
President and Chief Executive Officer

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