

BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORP
Form 8-K
January 10, 2008

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, DC 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, 2008

BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

DELAWARE

(State or other
jurisdiction of
incorporation)

1-11083

(Commission
file number)

04-2695240

(IRS employer
identification no.)

One Boston Scientific Place, Natick, Massachusetts

(Address of principal executive offices)

01760-1537

(Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(508) 650-8000**

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 communication 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 January 4, 2008, we completed the sale of our Cardiac Surgery and Vascular Surgery businesses to the Getinge Group of Sweden, a global provider of healthcare equipment and systems, for \$750 million in cash. The sale follows the signing of the definitive agreement announced on November 5, 2007.

The press release issued on January 7, 2008 is filed as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

ITEM 9.01.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release issued by Boston Scientific dated January 7, 2008

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and 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.

BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION

Date: January 10, 2008

By: /s/ Lawrence J. Knopf

Lawrence J. Knopf
Senior Vice President and Deputy General Counsel

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