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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) December 22, 2008 NOVAVAX, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 0-26770 (Commission File Number) 22-2816046 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

9920 Belward Campus Drive Rockville, Maryland (Address of principal executive offices)

20850 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:(240) 268-2000 (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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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

On December 22, 2008, Len Stigliano announced his intent to resign as Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer of Novavax, Inc. (the Company), effective as to the close of business on January 28, 2009. The Company has retained an executive search firm to recruit a new Chief Financial Officer. Mr. Stigliano intends to pursue employment opportunities within the Philadelphia area where he and his family reside.

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

Novavax, Inc. (Registrant)

December 30, 2008 By: /s/Len Stigliano

Name: Len Stigliano

Title: Vice President, Chief Executive Officer

and Treasurer

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