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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

Form 6-K

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the month of January 17, 2006

Commission File
Number

ANORMED INC.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

#200 - 20353 64th Avenue, Langley, British Columbia Canada V2Y 1N5

(Address of principal executive office)

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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.

ANORMED INC.

(Registrant)

Date January 17, 2006

By

/ s / W.J. Adams

(Signature)*

William J. (Bill) Adams, Chief
Financial Officer

* Print the name and title under the signature of the signing officer.

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**SHAREHOLDER ADVISES OF INTENTION TO REQUISITION SPECIAL MEETING TO CHANGE
BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

For Immediate Release:

January 17, 2006

Vancouver, B.C. - AnorMED Inc. (TSX:AOM, AMEX:AOM) announces that Felix J. Baker and Julian C. Baker have filed a report with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission disclosing the intention of various entities controlled by them to requisition a special meeting of AnorMED shareholders for the purposes of replacing the Board of Directors with a new slate proposed by them. Felix Baker is a Director of AnorMED Inc.

Following the receipt of any such requisition, the Board of Directors of the Company will be meeting to discuss the requisition.

AnorMED is a chemistry-based biopharmaceutical company focused on the discovery, development and commercialization of new therapeutic products in the areas of hematology, HIV and oncology. The Company has a product in Phase III development, a product in Phase II development and a research program focused on a novel class of compounds that target specific chemokine receptors known to be involved in a variety of diseases including HIV. Additional information on AnorMED Inc. is available on the Company's website www.anormed.com.

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