

ABAXIS INC
Form 8-K
September 27, 2012

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):
September 24, 2012

Abaxis, Inc.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

California
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

000-19720
(Commission File No.)

77-0213001
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

3240 Whipple Road, Union City, CA 94587
(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:
(510) 675-6500

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- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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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 hereunto duly authorized.

Date: September 27, 2012

ABAXIS, INC.

By: /s/ Alberto R Santa Ines
Alberto R Santa Ines
Vice President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit

Description

99.1 Press Release, dated September 26, 2012, entitled “Abaxis Announces Settlement of Patent Litigation with Cepheid”
