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SIGA TECHNOLOGIES INC
Form 8-K
August 25, 2004

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): August 24, 2004

SIGA Technologies, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware ----- (State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)	0-23047 ----- (Commission File Number)	13-3864870 ----- (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)
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420 Lexington Avenue, Suite 601, New York, New York ----- (Address of Principal Executive Offices)	10170 ----- (Zip Code)
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(212) 672-9100

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

ITEM 7.01. Other Events and Required FD Disclosure.

On August 24, 2004, SIGA issued a press release pursuant to which SIGA announced the receipt of two grants totaling approximately \$12 million from the National Institutes of Health, which will be received over the next two years and will support the development of the biowarfare defense assets recently acquired from VPHM. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, which is incorporated in this Item 7.01 by reference.

ITEM 9. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

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Exhibit No. -----	Description -----
99.1	Press Release dated August 24, 2004.

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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.

SIGA TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By: /s/ Thomas N. Konatich

Thomas N. Konatich
Acting Chief Executive Officer and
Chief Financial Officer

Date: August 25, 2004

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