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 19, 2005

Aastrom Biosciences, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Michigan (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) **0-22025** (Commission File No.)

94-3096597 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

24 Frank Lloyd Wright Drive P.O. Box 376 Ann Arbor, Michigan 48106 (Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (734) 930-5555

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On August 19, 2005, Aastrom received a letter from director Arthur F. Staubitz indicating that he was resigning from the Board and that he was withdrawing his name as a candidate for election at the upcoming Annual Meeting of Shareholders. Mr. Staubitz had served as a director on Aastrom's Board since March 1999.

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: August 25, 2005

AASTROM BIOSCIENCES, INC.

By: /s/ Gerald D. Brennan, Jr. Gerald D. Brennan, Jr.

Vice President, Administrative and Financial Operations; Chief Financial Officer

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