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# BION ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGIES INC

Form 8-K April 08, 2010

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 of 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

March 31, 2010
----Date of Report (date of earliest event reported)

BION ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

----Exact name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter

Colorado 000-19333 84-1176672

State or Other Jurisdiction Commission File IRS Employer Identification of Incorporation Number Number

Box 566/1774 Summitview Way, Crestone, Colorado 81131
-----Address of Principal Executive Offices, Including Zip Code

(212) 758-6622

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code

Not applicable

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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:

- [ ] 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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The Company has concluded an offering of its Series C Convertible Preferred Shares. The private placement was made to accredited investors under Rule 506 of Regulation D under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. The placement agent for the offering, Capital Financial Services, Inc., of Minot, North Dakota, sold 15,400 shares of the Series C Preferred Stock which generated gross proceeds of \$1,540,000. After deducting commissions and placement agent fees of \$169,400 and a non-accountable expense allowance of \$30,800, the Company received approximately \$1,339,900 in net proceeds.

The Series B Preferred Shares are convertible into shares of the Company's common stock at a conversion rate of \$4.00 per share at the election of the holders. Under certain conditions, the shares may be mandatorily converted to the Company's common stock. The shares will pay dividends at the rate of 2.5% per quarter (10% per annum). For a complete description of the Series C Convertible Preferred Shares, see Exhibit 3.1 of the Company's Form 10-Q for the three months ended December 31, 2009.

#### ITEM 7.01 REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE.

The Company has issued a press release regarding the closing of the offering discussed in Item  $3.02~\mathrm{above}$ .

### ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

- (a) Financial Statements of Businesses Acquired.
  - Not Applicable.
- (b) Pro Forma Financial Information
  - Not Applicable.
- (c) Shell Company Transactions
  - Not Applicable.
- (d) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Preferred Offering Press Release dated April 8, 2010

#### SIGNATURE

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.

Bion Environmental Technologies, Inc.

Date: April 8, 2009 By:/s/ Mark A. Smith
Mark A. Smith, President