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JOHNSON & JOHNSON Form 8-K October 16, 2012

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 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):

October 16, 2012

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New Jersey I-3215 22-1024240

(State or Other Jurisdiction of

Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

One Johnson & Johnson Plaza, New Brunswick, New Jersey 08933

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

732-524-0400

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On October 16, 2012, Johnson & Johnson issued the attached press release announcing its sales and earnings for the third quarter ended September 30, 2012.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description of Exhibit

99.15 Press Release dated October 16, 2012 for the period ended September 30, 2012.

99.20 Unaudited Comparative Supplementary Sales Data and Condensed Consolidated Statement of Earnings for the third quarter.

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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.

Johnson & Johnson (Registrant)

Date: October 16, 2012 By: /s/ Stephen J. Cosgrove

Stephen J. Cosgrove

Controller

(Principal Accounting Officer)