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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): December 5, 2006

DYNAVAX TECHNOLOGIES CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Delaware 000-50577 33-0728374

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2929 Seventh Street, Suite 100 Berkeley, California 94710

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (510) 848-5100

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Item 8.01. Other Events.

As disclosed previously in a Form 8-K filed by Dynavax Technologies Corporation (we or us) on August 31, 2006, we entered into a common stock purchase agreement (the Purchase Agreement) with Azimuth Opportunity Ltd. (Azimuth), pursuant to which we may, from time to time and subject to the terms and limitations set forth in the Purchase Agreement, sell Azimuth shares of our common stock. On December 5, 2006, we expect to settle with Azimuth on the purchase of 1,663,456 shares of our common stock under the Purchase Agreement at an aggregate purchase price of \$15,000,000. We will receive an estimated net proceeds from the sale of these shares of approximately \$14.8 million after deducting our estimated offering expenses. In connection with this sale, we are filing, as Exhibit 5.1 hereto, an opinion of our counsel, Cooley Godward Kronish llp.

The foregoing description is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Purchase Agreement, dated August 31, 2006,

by and between Azimuth and us, which was filed as an exhibit to the August 31, 2006 Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

5.1 Opinion of Cooley Godward Kronish llp, dated December 5, 2006.

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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.

Dynavax Technologies Corporation

Dated: December 4, 2006 By: /s/ Deborah A. Smeltzer

Deborah A. Smeltzer, Vice President, Operations and Chief Financial Officer

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