

MEDTRONIC INC  
Form 8-K  
May 16, 2012

**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): May 16, 2012

**Medtronic, Inc.**

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

**Minnesota**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**1-7707**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**41-0793183**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

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**710 Medtronic Parkway, Minneapolis, Minnesota**  
**(Address of principal executive offices)**  
**(763) 514-4000**

**55432**  
**(Zip Code)**

**(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)**

**Not Applicable**

**(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)**

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- .. 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))

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On May 16, 2012, Medtronic, Inc. (the Company ) announced that it was notified by the U.S. Department of Justice and the Office of the United States Attorney for the District of Massachusetts that federal prosecutors have closed their investigation of the Company related to INFUSE® Bone Graft. A copy of the press release related to this matter is furnished as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release of the Company dated May 16, 2012.

**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.

MEDTRONIC, INC.

By /s/ Gary L. Ellis  
Gary L. Ellis  
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: May 16, 2012

EXHIBIT INDEX

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| <b>Exhibit<br/>No.</b> | <b>Description</b>                               |
|------------------------|--|
| 99.1                   | Press Release of the Company dated May 16, 2012. |