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VITAL SIGNS INC  
Form 8-K  
April 08, 2002

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): March 28, 2002

VITAL SIGNS, INC.

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New Jersey

0-18793

11-2279807

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(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

(Commission  
File Number)

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

20 Campus Road, Totowa, New Jersey

07512

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(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(973) 790-1330

Item 5. Other Events.

On March 28, 2002, Vital Signs, Inc. (the "Company") consummated the merger of Stelex, Inc. ("Stelex") into the Company's wholly-owned subsidiary, The Validation Group, Inc. ("TVG"), with TVG continuing as the surviving entity. The purchase price for the acquisition of Stelex was \$13,300,000.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit No. 99.1 Press Release, dated April 8, 2002.

SIGNATURES

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

VITAL SIGNS, INC.

By: /s/ Joseph Bourgart

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Joseph Bourgart  
Executive Vice President

Dated: April 8, 2002

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. 99.1 Press Release, dated April 8, 2002

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STATEMENT OF DIFFERENCES

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