ETRIALS WORLDWIDE INC. Form SC TO-C May 06, 2009 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): <u>May 6, 2009</u> Bio-Imaging Technologies, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

1-11182

(Commission File Number)

(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

Delaware

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826 Newtown-Yardley Road, Newtown, PA

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(267) 757-3000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

Not applicable

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425).

o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12).

b Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)).

o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)).

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(Zip Code)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

11-2872047

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#### Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On May 6, 2009, Bio-Imaging Technologies, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the Company ), issued a press release to report the Company s financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2009. The full text of the press release is attached to this current report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1.

The information in this current report on Form 8-K shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act ) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

## **Important Information About the Tender Offer**

This announcement and the description contained herein are for informational purposes only and are not an offer to purchase or a solicitation of an offer to sell securities of etrials Worldwide, Inc. ( etrials ). The tender offer by the Company to purchase all of the outstanding shares of etrials common stock has not yet been commenced. At the time the tender offer is commenced, the Company and its wholly-owned subsidiary intend to file a tender offer statement on a Schedule TO containing an offer to purchase, a letter of transmittal and other related documents with the Securities and Exchange Commission. At the time the tender offer is commenced, etrials intends to file with the Securities and Exchange Commission a solicitation/recommendation statement on Schedule 14D-9 and, if required, will, file a proxy statement or information statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission in connection with the merger, the second step of the transaction, at a later date. Such documents will be mailed to stockholders of record and will also be made available for distribution to beneficial owners of common stock of etrials. The solicitation of offers to buy common stock of etrials will only be made pursuant to the offer to purchase, the letter of transmittal and related documents. Stockholders are advised to read the offer to purchase and the letter of transmittal, the solicitation/recommendation statement, the proxy statement, the information statement and all related documents, if and when such documents are filed and become available, as they will contain important information about the tender offer and proposed merger. Stockholders can obtain these documents when they are filed and become available free of charge from the Securities and Exchange Commission s website at www.sec.gov, or from the information agent Bio-Imaging selects. In addition, copies of the solicitation/recommendation statement, the proxy statement and other filings containing information about etrials, the tender offer and the merger may be obtained, if and when available, without charge, by directing a request to the appropriate representative of etrials identified in future filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

#### Item 8.01. Other Events.

This current report on Form 8-K will also be filed as a Schedule TO-C as a preliminary communication made before the commencement of a tender offer.

The information in this Item 8.01 of this current report on Form 8-K shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits. (d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description99.1 Press Release of Bio-Imaging Technologies, Inc. dated May 6, 2009

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## 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.

## **BIO-IMAGING TECHNOLOGIES, INC.**

Dated: May 6, 2009

By: /s/ Mark L. Weinstein Name: Mark L. Weinstein Title: President and Chief Executive Officer