

INHALE THERAPEUTIC SYSTEMS INC  
Form 8-K/A  
June 20, 2001

[QuickLinks](#) -- Click here to rapidly navigate through this document

## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

### FORM 8-K/A

Current Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): **June 20, 2001**

**Inhale Therapeutic Systems, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

**000-23556**

(Commission File No.)

**94-3134940**

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**150 Industrial Road  
San Carlos, CA 94070**

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(650) 631-3100**

---

#### Item 5. Other Events

On June 20, 2001, Inhale Therapeutic Systems, Inc. ("Inhale") announced the English High Court of Justice ruled that Inhale's European patent covering room-temperature stable glassy materials is not valid in the United Kingdom. The revocation, which has been stayed pending appeal, has no effect outside the United Kingdom and does not limit in any way Inhale's ability to use glass stabilization.

Inhale's press release, dated June 20, 2001, titled "Inhale Announces Decision of English Court Concerning Validity of a Glass Stabilization Patent in the United Kingdom" is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

#### Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c)

##### Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press Release titled "Inhale Announces Decision of English Court Concerning Validity of a Glass Stabilization Patent in the United Kingdom" dated June 20, 2001.

**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.

**INHALE THERAPEUTIC SYSTEMS, INC.**

Dated: June 20, 2001

By: /s/ Brigid A. Makes

---

Brigid A. Makes  
Chief Financial Officer and Vice President (Principal Financial and Accounting  
Officer)

3

---

QuickLinks

SIGNATURE