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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington D.C. 20549

REPORT OF FOREIGN ISSUER
PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of September, 2009

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Commission File Number: 001-32371

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SINOVAC BIOTECH LTD.

39 Shangdi Xi Road
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(Address of principal executive offices)

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

SINOVAC BIOTECH LTD.

By: /s/ Weidong Yin
Name: Weidong Yin
Title: Chief Executive Officer, President

Date: September 2, 2009

Exhibit 99.1

Sinovac Obtains Production License for H1N1 Vaccine

BEIJING, Sept. 3 /PRNewswire-Asia/ -- Sinovac Biotech Ltd. (NYSE: SVA), a leading provider of biopharmaceutical products in China, announced today that the State Food and Drug Administration (SFDA) has approved the registration application for PANFLU.1, Sinovac's H1N1 vaccine, and has issued Sinovac a production license for this vaccine.

Following top-line results which showed that PANFLU.1, Sinovac's H1N1 vaccine, has a good safety and immunogenicity profile, the Company announced the findings of an experts' evaluation conference organized by the SFDA on August 30 and 31. The experts unanimously agreed that Sinovac's H1N1 vaccine is suitable for all people from three to 60 years old on a single shot vaccination schedule.

Mr. Weidong Yin, Chairman, President and CEO of Sinovac, commented, "The approval of PANFLU.1, Sinovac's H1N1 vaccine, is a significant milestone in the campaign for the prevention and control of the H1N1 virus. With the support of the Ministry of Health, State SFDA, Chinese Center for Disease Control and Prevention (China CDC), Sinovac was able to successfully and rapidly complete the clinical trials and registration process for the H1N1 vaccine. By leveraging our expertise in R&D, production and commercialization of human vaccines, we continue to execute our mission to provide top-quality vaccines to eliminate human diseases."

About Sinovac

Sinovac Biotech Ltd. is a China-based biopharmaceutical company that focuses on the research, development, manufacture and commercialization of vaccines that protect against human infectious diseases. Sinovac's vaccine products include Healive(R) (hepatitis A), Bilive(R) (combined hepatitis A and B), and Anflu(R) (influenza). Panflu(TM), Sinovac's pandemic influenza vaccine (H5N1), has already been approved for government stockpiling. Sinovac is developing vaccines for enterovirus 71, universal pandemic influenza, Japanese encephalitis, and human rabies. Its wholly owned subsidiary, Tangshan Yian, is conducting field trials for independently developed inactivated animal rabies vaccines.

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