UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM S-1 REGISTRATION STATEMENT

UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

Bioventus Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

3841 (Primary Standard Industrial Classification Code Number)

81-0980861 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

4721 Emperor Boulevard, Suite 100 Durham, North Carolina 27703 (919) 474-6700

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant's principal executive offices)

Kenneth M. Reali Chief Executive Officer Bioventus Inc. 4721 Emperor Boulevard, Suite 100 Durham, North Carolina 27703 (919) 474-6700

(Name, address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to the public: As soon as practicable after this Registration Statement is declared effective.	Approximate date of commencement	t of proposed sale to the pul	lic: As soon as practicable after	r this Registration Statement is	declared effective.
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If any of the securities being registered on this form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933, check the following box. \Box

If this Form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering. ⊠ (File No. 333-252238)

If this Form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(c) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering. \square

If this Form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(d) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, smaller reporting company, or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company," and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act

☑ (Do not check if a smaller reporting company) Non-accelerated filer

Smaller reporting company

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Emerging growth company If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 7(a)(2)(B) of the Securities Act. \boxtimes

CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Title of each class of securities to be registered	Amount to be Registered(1)	Proposed maximum offering price per share(1)	Proposed maximum aggregate offering price(1)	Amount of registration fee(2)
Class A common stock, \$0.001 par value per share	747,500	\$13.00	9,717,500	\$1,060.18

(1) Represents only the additional number of shares of Class A common stock being registered, and includes 97,500 additional shares of Class A common stock that the underwriters have the

option to purchase. Does not include the securities that the registrant previously registered on the Registration Statement on Form S-1, as amended (File No. 333-25238). The registration fee is calculated in accordance with Rule 457(a) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, based on the proposed maximum aggregate offering price. The registrant previously paid a filing of \$16,600.00 for the Registration Statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-252238), which was declared effective on February 10, 2021. In accordance with Rule (2)462(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, an additional amount of securities having a proposed maximum aggregate offering price of \$9,717,500 are hereby registered, which includes the additional shares that the underwriters have the option to purchase

This Registration Statement shall become effective upon filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission in accordance with Rule 462(b) of the Securities Act.

EXPLANATORY NOTE AND INCORPORATION OF CERTAIN INFORMATION BY REFERENCE

Bioventus Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Registrant"), is filing this Registration Statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), with respect to the registration of additional shares of Class A common stock, par value \$0.001 per share of Registrant. This Registration Statement relates to the public offering of securities contemplated by the earlier registration statement on Form S-1, as amended (File No. 333-252238) (the "Prior Registration Statement"), which the Commission declared effective on February 10, 2021. The contents of the Prior Registration Statement, including all amendments and exhibits thereto, are incorporated by reference into this Registration Statement.

The Registrant is filing this Registration Statement for the sole purpose of increasing the aggregate number of shares of Class A common stock offered by Registrant by 747,500 shares of its Class A common stock, which includes 97,500 shares of Class A common stock that may be sold pursuant to the underwriters' option to purchase additional shares. The additional shares of Class A common stock that are being registered for issuance and sale are in an amount and at a price that together represent no more than 20% of the maximum aggregate offering price set forth in the Calculation of Registration Fee table contained in the Prior Registration Statement.

The required opinion and consents are listed on the Exhibit Index attached hereto and filed herewith.

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit <u>no.</u>	Description	
5.1	Opinion of Latham & Watkins LLP (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 5.1 filed with the Prior Registration Statement filed on February 4, 2021)	
23.1	Consent of Grant Thornton LLP.	
23.2	Consent of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP.	
23.3	Consent of Latham & Watkins LLP (included in Exhibit 5.1).	
24.1*	Power of Attorney.	

^{*} Previously filed with the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-1, as amended (File No. 333-252238), initially filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission January 20, 2020 and incorporated by reference herein.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this Registration Statement on Form S-1 to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in Durham, North Carolina, on this 10th day of February, 2021.

Bioventus Inc.

By: /s/ Kenneth M. Reali

Name: Kenneth M. Reali

Title: Chief Executive Officer and Director

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, this Registration Statement has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the Registrant and in the capacities indicated on February 10, 2021:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>
/s/ Kenneth M. Reali	Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)
Kenneth M. Reali	
/s/ Gregory O. Anglum	Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer
Gregory O. Anglum	and Principal Accounting Officer)
*	Chairman
William A. Hawkins III	
*	Director
Phillip G. Cowdy	
*	Director
Guido J. Neels	
*	Director
Guy P. Nohra	
*	Director
David J. Parker	
*	Director
Susan M. Stalnecker	
*	Director
Martin P. Sutter	
By: /s/ Kenneth M. Reali	
Kenneth M. Reali	
Attorney-in-fact	

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CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

We have issued our report dated October 6, 2020, with respect to the consolidated financial statements of Bioventus LLC included in the Registration Statement of Bioventus Inc. on Form S-1 (File No. 333-252238), which is incorporated by reference in this Registration Statement on Form S-1MEF. We consent to the incorporation by reference of the aforementioned report in this Registration Statement, and to the use of our name as it appears under the caption "Experts" in the Registration Statement incorporated by reference in this Registration Statement.

/s/ GRANT THORNTON LLP

Raleigh, North Carolina February 10, 2021

CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

We hereby consent to the incorporation by reference in this Registration Statement on Form S-1 of our report dated August 16, 2019, except for the effects of disclosing net loss per unit information discussed in Note 14 and the effects of discontinued operations discussed in Note 17 to the consolidated financial statements, as to which the date is October 6, 2020, relating to the financial statements, which appears in Amendment No. 2 to the Registration Statement on Form S-1 (No. 333-252238) of Bioventus Inc. We also consent to the reference to us under the heading "Experts" in Amendment No. 2 to the Registration Statement on Form S-1 (No. 333-252238) incorporated by reference in this Registration Statement.

/s/ PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Raleigh, North Carolina February 10, 2021