MAXWELL TECHNOLOGIES INC Form 8-K March 16, 2006

UNITED STATES

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 16, 2006

MAXWELL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 1-15477 (Commission File Number)

9244 Balboa Avenue

95-2390133 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

San Diego, California 92133

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(858) 503-3300

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On March 16, 2006, Maxwell Technologies, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing the Company s final audited financial results for the fourth quarter and FY 2005. A copy of this press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

This information and the exhibits hereto are being furnished and shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act), or otherwise subject to the liability of that section, nor shall they be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

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

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release issued by Maxwell Technologies, Inc. on March 16, 2006

SIGNATURES

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.

MAXWELL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By: /s/ Richard Balanson Richard Balanson

Chief Executive Officer

Date: March 16, 2006

EXHIBIT INDEX

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