#### MAXWELL TECHNOLOGIES INC

Form 8-K May 17, 2013

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

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#### **CURRENT REPORT**

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event Reported): May 14, 2013

#### MAXWELL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

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Delaware 1-15477 95-2390133
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

3888 Calle Fortunada
San Diego, California 92123
(Addresses 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):

- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 3.01. Notice of Delisting or Failure to Satisfy a Continued Listing Rule or Standard; Transfer of Listing. On May 14, 2013, Maxwell Technologies, Inc. (the "Company") received, as anticipated, an additional notification letter from the Listing Qualifications Department of the NASDAQ Stock Market LLC ("NASDAQ") advising the Company that it is not in compliance with NASDAQ Listing Rule 5250(c)(1) for continued listing due to the Company's inability to file with the Securities and Exchange Commission its quarterly report on Form 10-Q for the period ended March 31, 2013 on a timely basis, and because the Company remains delinquent in filing its annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012. This notification was issued in accordance with standard NASDAQ procedures and has no immediate effect on the listing or trading of the Company's common stock on the NASDAQ Global Market. The NASDAQ letter indicated that the Company has until May 20, 2013 to submit a plan explaining how it expects to regain compliance. If NASDAQ approves the Company's plan, it can grant the Company an extension of up to 180 calendar days from the due date of the 2012 Form 10-K (or until September 16, 2013) to regain compliance.

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

Exhibit No. Description

Press Release issued by Maxwell Technologies, Inc. on May 17, 2013

## **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/ Kevin S. Royal Kevin S. Royal Chief Financial Officer

Date: May 17, 2013

# EXHIBIT INDEX

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