TIDEL TECHNOLOGIES INC Form NT 10-Q May 15, 2006

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 12b-25

NOTIFICATION OF LATE FILING

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Form 10-K Form 20-F Form 11-K X Form 10-Q Form NSAR Form N-CSR				
For the period ended: March 31, 2006				
Transition Report on Form 10-K				
Read attached Instruction Sheet Before Preparing Form. Please Print or Type.				
Nothing in this form shall be construed to imply that the Commission has verified any information contained herein.				
If the notification related to a portion of the filing checked above, identify the item(s) to which notification relates:				
Part I-Registrant Information				
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Part II-Rule 12b-25(b) and (c)

Full name of Registrant: Former name if Applicable:

City, State and Zip Code:

Address of Principal Executive Office (Street and Number):

If the subject report could not be filed without unreasonable effort or expense and the registrant seeks relief pursuant to Rule 12b-25(b), the following should be completed.(Check box if appropriate.)

TIDEL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

2900 Wilcrest Drive, Suite 105

Houston, TX 77042

(a) The reasons described in detail in Part III of this form could not be eliminated without unreasonable effort or expense;

- |X| (b) The subject annual report, semi-annual report, transition report of Forms 10-K, 10-KSB, 20-F, 11-K, Form N-SAR or Form N-CSR, or portion thereof will be filed on or before the 15th calendar day following the prescribed due date; or the subject quarterly report or transition report on Form 10-Q, 10-QSB, or portion thereof will be filed on or before the fifth calendar day following the prescribed due date; and
 - (c) The accountant's statement or other exhibit required by Rule 12b-25(c) has been attached if applicable.

Part III-Narrative

State below in reasonable detail the reasons why Forms 10-K, 20-F, 11-K, 10-Q, 10-QSB, N-SAR, N-CSR or the transition report portion thereof could not be filed within the prescribed time period.

Due to difficulty in gathering certain information, the Registrant was unable to file its quarterly report on Form 10-Q for the fiscal quarter ended March 31, 2006 without unreasonable effort or expense.

The Registrant currently expects that its quarterly report on Form 10-Q for the fiscal quarter ended March 31, 2006 will be filed within five calendar days following the prescribed due date.

Part IV-Other Information

(1)	Name and telepho	one number of person	to contact in regard	to this notification:

Robert D. Peltier 713 783-8200

(Name) (Area Code) (Telephone Number)

(2) Have all other periodic reports required under Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 during the preceding 12 months or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such report(s) been filed?

|X| Yes | | No

If the answer is no, identify report(s)

(3) Is it anticipated that any significant change in results of operations from the corresponding period for the last fiscal year will be reflected by the earnings statements to be included in the subject report or portion thereof?

I I Yes IXI No

If so: attach an explanation of the anticipated change, both narratively and quantitatively, and, if appropriate, state the reasons why a reasonable estimate of the results cannot be made.

TIDEL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter

Has caused this notification to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Date: May 15, 2006

By: /s/ Robert D. Peltier

Robert D. Peltier

Interim Chief Financial Officer

INSTRUCTION: The form may be signed by an executive officer of the registrant or by any other duly authorized representative. The name and title of the person signing the form shall be typed or printed beneath the signature. If the statement is signed on behalf of the registrant by an authorized representative (other than an executive officer), evidence of the representative's authority to sign on behalf of the registrant shall

be filed with the form.

ATTENTION

Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute Federal Criminal Violations (See 18 U.S.C. 1001).