INVITROGEN CORP Form 8-K April 21, 2006

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 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) April 17, 2006

INVITROGEN CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

000-25317 (Commission

33-0373077 (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.) 92008

(Zip Code)

1600 Faraday Avenue, Carlsbad, CA (Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code (760) 603-7200

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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:

- 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 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION.

On April 17, 2006, the Company issued a press release regarding the Company $\,$ s financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2006. The full text of the Company $\,$ s press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1

Item 9.01	Financial	Statements	and	Exhibits.
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- (a) Not applicable.
- (b) Not applicable.
- (c) Exhibits.
 - 99.1 Invitrogen Corporation press release dated April 17, 2006.

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 hereunto duly authorized.

Invitrogen Corporation

Date: April 21, 2006

By: /s/ David F. Hoffmeister

David F. Hoffmeister

Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Description

99.1 Invitrogen Corporation press release dated April 17, 2006.