BITSTREAM INC Form 8-K February 27, 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): February 27, 2006

BITSTREAM INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 0-21541 04-2744890

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

245 First Street, 17th Floor, Cambridge, Massachusetts

(Address of principal executive offices)

02142 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code (617) 497-6222

(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 (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))

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

Today, February 27, 2006, Bitstream, Inc. announced its financial results for the quarter and annual periods ended December 31, 2005. The full text of the press release issued in connection with the announcement is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

The information shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Number <u>Title</u>

99.1 February 27, 2006 press release

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.

BITSTREAM INC.

(Registrant)

Date : February 27, 2006

By: /s/ James P. Dore

James P. Dore Vice President and Chief Financial Officer