

FORWARD INDUSTRIES INC
Form 8-K
February 18, 2005

**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 18, 2005

Forward Industries, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**New York
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)**

**000-6669
(Commission
File Number)**

**13-1950672
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)**

1801 Green Road, Suite E

**Pompano Beach, FL
(Address of principal executive offices)**

**33064
(Zip Code)**

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

(954) 419-9544

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

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

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On February 18, 2005, Forward Industries Inc., issued a press release announcing that it had entered into a nonexclusive license agreement with SAGEM to design manufacture and sell SAGEM branded cellular phone carrying solutions in the European, Middle Eastern and African (EMEA) markets. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Press release issued on February 18, 2005

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.

Forward Industries Inc.,

By:

/s/ Jerome E. Ball

Name Jerome E. Ball

Title: Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Dated: February 18, 2005

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
Exhibit 99.1	Press release issued by the Registrant on February 18, 2005
