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ITEM 8.01. OTHER EVENTS.

Lucent Technologies Inc. ("Lucent") disclosed that it has been notified by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") that Lucent should expect to receive shortly a "Wells" notice relating to a previously disclosed investigation of Lucent's operations in China under the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act ("FCPA"). A "Wells" notice is a common procedure where the SEC staff has preliminarily decided to recommend an enforcement action to the Commission. The SEC staff's preliminary determination is subject to Lucent's opportunity to respond to the "Wells" notice via a written submission to the SEC staff as well as to engage in additional discussions with the SEC staff in an effort to resolve the matter.

As previously disclosed by the Company, in April 2004, Lucent reported to the U.S. Department of Justice ("DOJ") and the SEC that an internal FCPA compliance audit and an outside counsel investigation found incidents and internal control deficiencies in Lucent's operations in China that potentially involved FCPA violations. Lucent has previously disclosed that it is cooperating with those agencies and that Lucent believes that these incidents and deficiencies did not have a material effect on its results of operations. However, Lucent cannot determine whether this continuing investigation will affect its future business operations in China or elsewhere.

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.

LUCENT TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Date: September 6, 2006

By: /s/ William R. Carapezzi, Jr

Name: William R. Carapezzi, Jr.
Title: SVP, General Counsel
& Secretary