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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) December 14, 2006

FORCE PROTECTION, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada	000-22273	84-1383888
(State or other jurisdiction	(Commission	(IRS Employer
of incorporation)	File Number)	Identification No.)

9801 Highway 78, Building No. 1, Ladson, SC

(Address of principal executive offices)

29456 (Zip Code)

Registrant $\,$ s telephone number, including area code (843) 740-7015

(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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ITEM 4.02 NON-RELIANCE ON PREVIOUSLY ISSUED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OR A RELATED AUDIT REPORT OR COMPLETED INTERIM REVIEW.

On December 14, 2006, Force Protection, Inc. s (the Company) management and its audit committee concluded that certain of the Company s previously issued financial statements will be restated. As a result of the restatement, the financial statements and independent auditor s report included in the Company s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the years ended December 31, 2003 and 2004, and the financial statements included in the Company s corresponding Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q for those years should no longer be relied upon. Investors should not rely upon those financial statements without taking into account the anticipated adjustments described in the Press Release dated December 15, 2006. That portion of the Press Release, attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, is incorporated herein by reference and gives a brief description of the facts underlying the conclusion to restate the Company s financial statements. The Company s management and audit committee have discussed the subject matter giving rise to this conclusion disclosed in this Item 4.02 with Jaspers + Hall, PC, its current independent accounting firm.

This report may contain forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. We generally use words such as believe, may, could, will, intend, expect, anticipate, plan, and similar expressions to identify forward-looking statements. You should not place uncertainties on these forward-looking statements. Our actual results could differ materially from those anticipated in the forward-looking statements for many reasons, including the risks described in our Form 10-K and other reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Although we believe the expectations reflected in the forward-looking statements are reasonable, they relate only to events as of the date on which the statements are made, and our future results, levels of activity, performance or achievements may not meet these expectations.

We do not intend to update any of the forward-looking statements after the date of this document to conform these statements to actual results or to changes in our expectations, except as required by law.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

EXHIBIT NUMBER DESCRIPTION

99.1 Press Release dated December 15, 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.

Force Protection, Inc. (Registrant)

Date December 15, 2006

/s/ Gordon McGilton (Signature)

Name: Gordon McGilton Title: Chief Executive Officer

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