# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 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): June 8, 2006 (June 8, 2006)

#### **Kaman Corporation**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

#### Connecticut

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

0-1093

06-0613548

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

1332 Blue Hills Avenue, Bloomfield, Connecticut 06002

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

### (860) 243-7100

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

# 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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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

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#### Item 8.01 Other Events.

On June 8, 2006, the company reported that with respect to its SH-2G(A) helicopter program for the Royal Australian Navy, the software for the helicopter's Integrated Tactical Avionics System has entered Formal Qualification Testing at the company's subcontractor CSC-Australia in Sydney, Australia.

The company's press release dated June 8, 2006 is attached to this report as Exhibit 99.1.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Press release dated June 8, 2006.

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## **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.

## KAMAN CORPORATION

By: /s/ Robert M. Garneau

Robert M. Garneau

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: June 8, 2006

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# KAMAN CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

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Exhibit 99.1 Press release dated June 8, 2006.

Attached

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