

FLIR SYSTEMS INC  
Form 8-K  
April 18, 2006

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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): April 18, 2006

**FLIR SYSTEMS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**OREGON**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

**0-21918**  
(Commission File Number)

**93-0708501**  
(I.R.S. Employer

Identification No.)

**27700A SW Parkway Avenue**

**Wilsonville, Oregon 97070**

**(503) 498-9547**

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including  
area code, of registrant's principal executive offices)

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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**

On April 18, 2006, FLIR Systems, Inc. ( the Company ) issued a press release announcing its preliminary expectations as to financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2006 and the year ending December 31, 2006. The press release contains forward-looking statements regarding the Company, and includes cautionary statements identifying important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those anticipated.

The press release issued April 18, 2006 is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 to this Report, and shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act.

**Item 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press release issued by FLIR Systems, Inc. dated April 18, 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 thereunto duly authorized on April 18, 2006.

**FLIR SYSTEMS, INC.**

(Registrant)

By \s\ Stephen M. Bailey  
Stephen M. Bailey

Sr. Vice President, Finance and

Chief Financial Officer