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): May 12, 2005

PIXELWORKS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

OREGON (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) **000-30269** (Commission File Number)

91-1761992 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

8100 SW Nyberg Road Tualatin, Oregon 97062 (503) 454-1750

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

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Item 1.01. ENTRY INTO A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT.

Subsequent to the distribution of our 2005 Proxy Statement, we received feedback from Institutional Shareholder Services regarding our 1997 Stock Incentive Plan, as Amended (the "Plan"). As a result, effective May 12, 2005, the Compensation Committee of our Board of Directors approved a modification to the Plan to further clarify that the administrator of the Plan may not buyout for a payment in cash or shares of company common stock, stock options outstanding under the Plan. Further amendments to the Plan have been proposed by our Board of Directors and the Compensation Committee of our Board of Directors and are subject to approval from the company's shareholders at the 2005 Annual Meeting.

A copy of the modified plan will be filed as an exhibit to our Form 10-Q to be filed for the quarterly period ending June 30, 2005.

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 May 13, 2005.

PIXELWORKS, INC.

(Registrant)

By /s/ Allen H. Alley

Allen H. Alley
Chairman of the Board, President and Chief
Executive Officer