

ION MEDIA NETWORKS INC.  
Form 8-K  
December 14, 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):

December 8, 2006

ION Media Networks, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

1-13452

59-3212788

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

601 Clearwater Park Road, West Palm Beach,  
Florida

33401

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

561-659-4122

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:

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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

Under the employment agreements with each of the Company's named executive officers, a portion of the officer's annual bonus opportunity will be determined based on the extent to which the Company meets certain financial performance goals established by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company (the "Committee").

On December 8, 2006, the Committee determined that the financial performance goals that will be used to determine each executive officer's entitlement to the Company performance component of his bonus for 2007 will be target amounts of operating cash flow, defined as cash received from operations, less capital expenditures.

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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.

*December 14, 2006*

ION Media Networks, Inc.

By: *Adam K. Weinstein*

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*Name: Adam K. Weinstein  
Title: Senior Vice President, Secretary and Chief Legal  
Officer*