AU OPTRONICS CORP Form 6-K December 12, 2006

#### FORM 6-K SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

#### **Report of Foreign Private Issuer**

# Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

December 12, 2006

Commission File Number 001-31335

### **AU Optronics Corp.**

(Translation of registrant

s name into English)

No. 1 Li-Hsin Road 2 Hsinchu Science Park Hsinchu, Taiwan

(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F X Form 40-F

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is submitting the Form 6-K in paper as permitted by Regulation S-T Rule 101(b)(1):

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jurisdiction in which the registrant is incorporated, domiciled or legally organized (the registrant shows country), or under the rules of the home country exchange on which the registrant securities are traded, as long as the report or other document is not a press release, is not required to be and has not been distributed to the registrant security holders, and, if discussing a material event, has already been the subject of a Form 6-K submission or other Commission filing on EDGAR.

Indicate by check mark whether by furnishing the information contained in this Form, the registrant is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes \_\_\_ No <u>X</u>

If []Yes[] is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b):

Not applicable

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1. Press release entitled, [Statement Regarding Antitrust Investigation], dated December 12, 2006.

#### **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, thereunto duly authorized.

AU Optronics Corp.

Date: December 12, 2006 By: /s/ Max Cheng

Name: Max Cheng

Title: Chief Financial Officer

Item 1

# AU Optronics Corp. December 12, 2006 English Language Summary

**Subject:** Statement Regarding Antitrust Investigation

Regulation: Published pursuant to Article 2-6 of the Taiwan Stock Exchange's

**Operating Procedures for the Publication of Material Information by** 

**Listed Companies** 

Date of events: 2006/12/12

#### **Content:**

1. Date of occurrence of the event: 2006/12/12

- 2. Company name: AU Optronics Corp.
- 3. Relationship to the Company (please enter "head office" or "affiliate company"): head office
- 4. Reciprocal shareholding ratios: N/A
- 5. Cause of occurrence: In response to recent inquiries by the United States Department of Justice and the Japanese Fair Trade Commission with regards to an antitrust investigation into TFT-LCD industry practices for the sale of panels, AU Optronics Corporation announces that its affiliates in the US and Japan plan to cooperate with the investigation.
- 6. Countermeasures: None
- 7. Any other matters that need to be specified: None