INTERLINK ELECTRONICS INC Form 8-K March 09, 2005

# **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): March 9, 2005

# **INTERLINK ELECTRONICS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE (State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

0-21808 (Commission File Number) 77-0056625 (IRS Employer

Identification No.)

546 Flynn Road, Camarillo, California (Address of principal executive offices) 93012 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (805) 484-8855

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#### No Change

#### (Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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#### ITEM 2.02 RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION.

On March 9, 2005, Interlink Electronics, Inc. (the Company ) issued a press release announcing that it will restate its unaudited quarterly results for the periods ended March 31, 2004, June 30, 2004 and September 30, 2004. The Company also revised its guidance for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2004. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

# ITEM 4.02. NON-RELIANCE ON PREVIOUSLY ISSUED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OR A RELATED AUDIT REPORT OR COMPLETED INTERIM REVIEW.

(a)

On March 4, 2005, on management s recommendation, the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors of Interlink Electronics, Inc. (the Company ) concluded that the Company s financial statements for the quarters ended March 31, 2004, June 30, 2004 and September 30, 2004 should no longer be relied upon and should be restated.

As of the filing of this current report on Form 8-K, the Company intends to restate its previously issued financial statements for the above mentioned quarters to correct the accounting for the following items:

For the quarterly periods ended March 31, 2004, June 30, 2004 and September 30, 2004, the Company expects to reclassify amounts relating to the timing of revenue recognition relating to a significant OEM sale that affects reported results for all three quarters.

For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2004, the Company expects to adjust inventory value and cost of goods sold. These adjustments related to the Company s relocation of certain manufacturing operations in China and the ramp-up in sales of new products, including wireless remote products for the Company s Home Entertainment market.

As soon as the Company completes its analysis and BDO Seidman, LLP, the Company s independent registered public accounting firm, completes its review procedures and audit work with respect to the Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2004, the Company will file amendments to its quarterly reports on Form 10-Q for the above-mentioned periods and will file its annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2004. In the interim, investors should no longer rely on the financial statements currently on file with the SEC for the quarters ended March 31, 2004, June 30, 2004 and September 30, 2004.

The Company has discussed the matters described above with BDO Seidman, LLP.

## ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

- (c) Exhibits.
- 99.1 Press Release dated March 9, 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 hereunto duly authorized.

Date: March 9, 2005.

### Interlink Electronics, Inc.

By /s/ Paul D. Meyer

Paul D. Meyer Chief Financial Officer

### EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Description

99.1 Press Release dated March 9, 2005.