

LORAL SPACE & COMMUNICATIONS LTD  
Form 8-K  
February 28, 2005

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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):

February 23, 2005

Loral Space & Communications Ltd

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Bermuda

1-14180

13-3867424

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

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

600 Third Avenue, New York, New York

10016

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(212) 697-1105

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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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 8.01. Other Events.**

On February 23, 2005, Loral Space & Communications Ltd. ("the Company") announced that its subsidiary, Space Systems/Loral, Inc., had been selected by PanAmsat Corporation to build Galaxy 18, a new Fixed Satellite Service (FSS) satellite.

On February 23, 2005, the Company also announced that it agreed to sell its BTV product line to dbsXmedia, Inc., subject to bankruptcy court approval.

A copy of the Galaxy 18 press release and the dbsXmedia press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and 99.2, respectively.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 February 23, 2005 Press Release re: Galaxy 18 FSS satellite.

Exhibit 99.2 February 23, 2005 Press Release re: sale of BTV product line to dbsXmedia.

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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.

Loral Space & Communications Ltd

*February 28, 2005*

*By: Janet Yeung*

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*Name: Janet Yeung*

*Title: Vice President and Assistant Secretary*

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<b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
99.1	February 23, 2005 Press Release re: Galaxy 18 FSS satellite
99.2	February 23, 2005 Press Release re: sale of BTV product line to dbxXmedia