

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): July 22, 2004

AVNET, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New York

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-4224

11-1890605

(Commission File Number)

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

2211 South 47th Street, Phoenix, Arizona

85034

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(480) 643-2000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

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

Item 9. Regulation F-D Disclosure.

On July 22, 2004, Avnet, Inc. issued a press release announcing the RBC Capital Markets North American Technology Conference webcast. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.

The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K and the Exhibits attached hereto are being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filing.

The following exhibits are furnished with this report on Form 8-K:

Exhibit Number

Description of Exhibit

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Press Release of Avnet, Inc. dated July 22, 2004

S I G N A T U R E

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.

AVNET, INC.

(Registrant)

Date: July 22, 2004

By: /s/ Raymond Sadowski

Raymond Sadowski
Senior Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer

Avnet Inc. to Present at the RBC Capital Markets
North American Technology Conference

PHOENIX--(BUSINESS WIRE)--July 22, 2004--Avnet Inc. (NYSE:AVT) today announced Ray Sadowski, Avnet's senior vice president and chief financial officer, will present at the RBC Capital Markets North American Technology Conference to be held at the Ritz-Carlton in Half Moon Bay, Calif., on Aug. 2, 2004, at 8:35 a.m. Pacific time.

Avnet's presentation will be broadcast live over the Internet at www.ir.avnet.com. Interested parties should logon to the Web site 15 minutes prior to the presentation time to register for the event and download any necessary software.

Also available at www.ir.avnet.com are other recent webcasts, a calendar of events, downloadable slide presentations and other investor information.

Additional Information

Avnet enables success from the center of the technology industry, providing cost-effective services and solutions vital to a broad base of more than 100,000 customers and 250 suppliers. The company markets, distributes and adds value to a wide variety of electronic components, enterprise computer products and embedded subsystems. Through its premier market position, Avnet brings a breadth and depth of capabilities that help its trading partners accelerate growth and realize cost efficiencies. Avnet generated more than \$9B in revenue in fiscal 2003 (year ended June 27, 2003) through sales in 68 countries. Visit Avnet's Investor Relations Web site at www.ir.avnet.com or contact us at investorrelations@avnet.com.

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