# 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):

September 14, 2006

# AVNET, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

| New York  | 1-4224  | 11-1890605   |
|---|---|--|
| (State or other jurisdiction  | (Commission   | (I.R.S. Employer                                     |
| of incorporation)   | File Number)  | Identification No.)                                  |
| 2211 South 47th Street, Phoenix, Arizona  |   | 85034  |
| (Address of principal executive offices)  |   | (Zip Code)   |
| Registrant's telephone number, including area   | code:   | 480-643-2000   |
|   | Not Applicable  |  |
| Former na   | me or former address, if changed since last r                               | eport  |
| Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is interprovisions:  | ended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obl                              | igation of the registrant under any of the following |
| [ ] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the S [ ] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exc [ ] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14 [ ] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13 | change Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)<br>d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240 |  |

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#### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On September 14, 2006, Avnet, Inc. issued a press release announcing the redemption of its 9¾% Notes due September 15, 2008. A copy of the press release is furnished and attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K and the Exhibit attached hereto is 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, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

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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.

AVNET, INC.

September 14, 2006

By: /s/ Raymond Sadowski

Name: Raymond Sadowski

Title: Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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| Exhibit No. | Description  |  |
|-------------|--|--|
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- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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(Registrant)

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By: <u>/s/ Raymond Sadowski</u>

Raymond Sadowski

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer