**INVITROGEN CORP** Form 8-K April 21, 2006

### 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) April 17, 2006

# INVITROGEN CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

000-25317 (Commission

33-0373077 (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.) 92008

(Zip Code)

1600 Faraday Avenue, Carlsbad, CA (Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code (760) 603-7200

Not Applicable

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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

On April 17, 2006, the Company issued a press release regarding the Company  $\,$ s financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2006. The full text of the Company  $\,$ s press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1

- (a) Not applicable.
- (b) Not applicable.
- (c) Exhibits.
  - 99.1 Invitrogen Corporation press release dated April 17, 2006.

#### **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.

### **Invitrogen Corporation**

Date: April 21, 2006

By: /s/ David F. Hoffmeister

David F. Hoffmeister

Chief Financial Officer

#### EXHIBIT INDEX

### **Exhibit** Description

99.1 Invitrogen Corporation press release dated April 17, 2006.