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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

OCTOBER 12, 2005
(Date of earliest event reported)

ACCESS INTEGRATED TECHNOLOGIES, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

001-31810
(Commission File Number)

22-3720962
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

55 MADISON AVENUE, SUITE 300, MORRISTOWN NJ
(Address of principal executive offices)

07960
(Zip Code)

(973) 290-0080
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

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SECTION 1 - REGISTRANT'S BUSINESS AND OPERATIONS

ITEM 1.01 ENTRY INTO A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT

On October 12, 2005, Christie/AIX, Inc. ("Christie/AIX"), a Delaware corporation and an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of Access Integrated Technologies, Inc., (the "Company"), a Delaware corporation, entered into a non-exclusive Digital Cinema Deployment Agreement (the "Agreement") with Twentieth Century Fox Film Corporation ("Fox"), a producer and distributor of motion pictures. The Agreement provides that Fox will distribute movie releases in digital format to theaters equipped with digital cinema projection systems ("Digital Systems") deployed by Christie/AIX, which are to be supplied by Christie Digital Systems USA, Inc. ("Christie"), a California corporation and a leading provider of Digital Systems. Fox will pay a virtual print fee to Christie/AIX for each digital print shown on a Digital System. The number of digital titles Fox is required to release during the term of the Agreement and the amount of the virtual print fee Fox is required to pay will depend, among other things, on the number of fully operational Digital Systems that Christie/AIX deploys during the next twenty-four months. The Agreement is effective through 2020 and was entered into as contemplated by the Company and Christie/AIX pursuant to their Framework Agreement, entered into with Christie in June 2005, which was aimed at facilitating the deployment of Digital Systems.

On October 17, 2005, the Company issued a press release announcing the Agreement. A copy of the release is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits

EXHIBIT NO.	DESCRIPTION
99.1	Press release of Access Integrated Technologies, Inc., dated October 17, 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, thereto duly authorized.

ACCESS INTEGRATED TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By: /s/ Gary S. Loffredo

Name: Gary S. Loffredo
Title: Senior Vice President - General Counsel

Dated: October 18, 2005

