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Form 8-K  
April 11, 2006

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 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 6, 2006

MICHAEL BAKER CORPORATION

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(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Pennsylvania

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(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-6627

25-0927646

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(Commission File Number)

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(IRS Employer Identification No.)

100 Airside Drive  
Moon Township, Pennsylvania

15108

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(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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(Zip Code)

(412) 269-6300

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(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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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 April 6, 2006 Michael Baker Corporation announced that it has completed the acquisition of Buck Engineering, P.C. of Cary, North Carolina. A copy of the press release making this announcement is attached to this report as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is filed with this report on Form 8-K:

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press release issued April 6, 2006.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Company has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

MICHAEL BAKER CORPORATION

By: /s/ William P. Mooney

Executive Vice President and Chief  
Financial Officer

Date: April 11, 2006

EXHIBIT INDEX

Number	Description	Method of Filing
99.1	Press release dated April 6, 2006.	Filed herewith.