

BENCHMARK ELECTRONICS INC

Form 8-K

June 01, 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): **May 26, 2006**

BENCHMARK ELECTRONICS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Texas

(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

1-10560

(Commission
File Number)

74-2211011

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

3000 Technology Drive, Angleton, Texas

(Address of principal executive offices)

77515

(Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(979) 849-6550**

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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 - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.

On June 1, 2006, Benchmark Electronics, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing that John W. Cox resigned from its Board of Directors effective May 26, 2006, as required, to allow him to serve as Chief Financial Officer of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. Mr. Cox's resignation was not because of any disagreement with the Company or any matter related to the Company's operations, policies or practices.

The press release announcing the resignation of Mr. Cox is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 **Press release dated June 1, 2006**

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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.

BENCHMARK ELECTRONICS, INC.

Dated: June 1, 2006

By: /s/ Cary T. Fu
Cary T. Fu
Chief Executive Officer