
**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: August 4, 2005
(Date of earliest event reported)**

AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

0-27275

(Commission File Number)

04-3432319

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

8 Cambridge Center, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02142
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (617) 444-3000

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Item 8.01 Other Events

Akamai Technologies, Inc. announced on August 4, 2005 that it will redeem all of its outstanding 5.5% Convertible Subordinated Notes Due 2007. Under the terms of the Indenture governing the 5.5% Notes, all of the \$56.6 million principal amount of the 5.5% Notes outstanding on September 7, 2005 will be redeemed at a redemption price of 101.571% plus accrued interest to September 7, 2005. A copy of the press release announcing the planned redemption is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1.

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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.

Date: August 4, 2005

AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By: /s/ Robert Cobuzzi

Robert Cobuzzi, Chief Financial Officer

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<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release dated August 4, 2005

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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AKAMAI TO REDEEM ALL OUTSTANDING 5.5% BONDS

CAMBRIDGE, MA – August 4, 2005 – Akamai Technologies, Inc. (NASDAQ: AKAM) today announced it will redeem all of its outstanding 5.5% Convertible Subordinated Notes Due 2007.

Under the terms of the Indenture governing the 5.5% Notes, all of the \$56.6 million in principal amount of the 5.5% Notes outstanding on September 7, 2005 will be redeemed at a redemption price of 101.571% plus accrued interest to September 7, 2005. The notice of redemption is expected to be delivered by the Trustee for the 5.5% Notes, U.S. Bank National Association, not later than August 8, 2005.

“Based on Akamai’s recent financial performance and continued improvement in our profitability, we believe this is an excellent time to retire the remaining portion of our 5.5% notes,” said Robert Cobuzzi, chief financial officer at Akamai. “We have made significant strides over the past two years to restructure and strengthen our balance sheet, and this step is an additional key piece of that process.”

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Akamai Statement Under the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act

The release contains information about future expectations, plans and prospects of Akamai’s management that constitute forward-looking statements for purposes of the safe harbor provisions under The Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Actual results may differ materially from those indicated by these forward-looking statements as a result of various important factors including, but not limited to, lack of available cash reserves and other factors that are discussed in the Company’s Annual Report on Form 10-K, quarterly reports on Form 10-Q, and other documents periodically filed with the SEC.