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

August 10, 2006

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported)

ON Semiconductor Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 000-30419 (Commission File Number) 36-3840979 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

ON Semiconductor Corporation 5005 E. McDowell Road Phoenix, Arizona (Address of principal executive offices)

85008 (Zip Code)

602-244-6600 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On August 10, 2006, the Board of Directors ("Board") of ON Semiconductor Corporation ("Corporation"), along with its Compensation Committee, determined and approved specific financial and operational performance goals for the second half of 2006 for possible bonus awards for specific individuals, including certain senior officers of the Corporation ("Executive Officers"). Actual bonuses will be determined based on achievement of these goals. Similar to the awards for the first half of 2006, bonuses for the second half of 2006 will be paid only if the Corporation achieves a certain minimum Earnings Before Income Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization ("EBITDA") amount. If this EBITDA amount is attained, the bonus of Keith Jackson, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Corporation, will be based on EBITDA and the following performance criteria of the Corporation: a new product revenue goal; a total revenue goal; a dollar based gross margin goal; and a strategic accounts revenue goal. If these goals are achieved, Mr. Jackson's bonus award would be expected to be approximately 100% of his base salary for the second half of 2006 with the possibility of a maximum bonus of approximately 225% of his base salary for the period. If the minimum EBITDA amount is attained, the other Executive Officers of the Corporation will receive bonuses based on many of the same or similar factors as for Mr. Jackson with the applicable percentage determined for each individual by the Board as recommended by the Compensation Committee. The remainder of the other Executive Officers' bonus awards will be based on measurable goals related to the applicable business group or area, or functional responsibility for each executive. If these goals are achieved, the bonus awards for the other Executive Officers would be expected to be in the range of approximately 50% to 65% of the applicable base salary for the second half of 2006 with the possibility of maximum bonuses in the range of approximately 113% to 146% of base salary for the second half of 2006. In addition to Mr. Jackson, the other Executive Officers are: Donald Colvin, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer; William George, Executive Vice President, Operations; Robert Mahoney, Executive Vice President of Sales and Marketing; George H. Cave, Senior Vice President, General Counsel, Chief Compliance and Ethics Officer and Secretary; Peter Green, Senior Vice President, Digital and Consumer Products Group; William Hall, Senior Vice President, Standard Products Group; William Schromm, Computing Products Group; and Michael (Andy) Williams, Automotive and Power Regulation Group. The bonus awards for each of the Executives Officers are expected to be paid pursuant to the Corporation's 2002 Executive Incentive Plan, as amended from time-to-time.

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SIGNATURES

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 thereunto duly authorized.

Date: August 16, 2006

ON SEMICONDUCTOR CORPORATION (Registrant)

By: /S/ GEORGE H. CAVE

George H. Cave Senior Vice President, General Counsel, Chief Compliance & Ethics Officer and Secretary