Rubicon Technology, Inc. Form 8-K July 30, 2008

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: July 28, 2008

(Date of earliest event reported)

RUBICON TECHNOLOGY, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware (State of Incorporation)

001-33834 Commission File No. $\begin{array}{c} 36\text{-}4419301 \\ \text{(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)} \end{array}$

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9931 Franklin Avenue

Franklin Park, Illinois 60131
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) Czip Code)

Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code:

(847) 295-7000

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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))

Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On July 28, 2008, Rubicon Technology, Inc. (the Company), and Crystalwise Technology, Inc. (Crystalwise), entered into an amendment (the Amendment) to their 2008 Sapphire Material Supply Agreement dated as of May 19, 2007 (the Agreement). The Amendment reduces the pricing for product sold to Crystalwise on or after July 7, 2008. The Amendment also clarifies that if Rubicon agrees to ship less than the required volumes under the Agreement, the shortfall in 2008 volume will be purchased by Crystalwise in 2009 at a rate not to exceed 60,000 TIE units per month.

The foregoing summary of certain terms of the Amendment does not purport to be complete, and is qualified in its entirety by the terms and conditions of the Amendment, which will be filed with the Company s Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2008.

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.

RUBICON TECHNOLOGY, INC.

Date: July 30, 2008 By: /s/ William F. Weissman

Name: William F. Weissman Title: Chief Financial Officer