ARRHYTHMIA RESEARCH TECHNOLOGY INC /DE/ Form 8-K December 08, 2006

### 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): December 4, 2006

## Arrhythmia Research Technology, Inc.

(Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter)

Delaware

1-9731

(State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation or organization)

(Commission File Number)

72-0925679

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

25 Sawyer Passway

Fitchburg, MA 01420

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(978) 345-5000

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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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# Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

Arrhythmia Research Technology, Inc. (the Company ) entered into an Executive Employment Agreement (the Employment Agreement ) as of December 4, 2006 with James E. Rouse, the Company s President and Chief Executive Officer, for the five year period commencing as of October 4, 2006. The Employment Agreement replaces the prior five year employment agreement originally expiring October 4, 2006 and, as amended, extended to December 4, 2006. Under the terms of the Employment Agreement, Mr. Rouse is to receive an annual base salary commencing as of October 5, 2006 of \$230,000. Mr. Rouse is also entitled to participate in bonus compensation and employee benefits plans as the Company may institute from time to time in the discretion of its compensation committee, upon the approval of the Board of Directors.

#### **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, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Fitchburg, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on the 8th day of December 2006.

ARRHYTHMIA RESEARCH TECHNOLOGY, INC.

By: /s/ David A. Garrison

David A. Garrison

Executive Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer