

EQUINIX INC
Form 8-K
November 08, 2005

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 (Date of earliest event Reported): November 7, 2005

EQUINIX, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

000-31293
(Commission File Number)

77-0487526
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification Number)

301 Velocity Way, 5th Floor
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(Addresses of principal executive offices)

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 - .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

Equinix, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Equinix") previously announced Mr. Phil Koen, the Company's President and COO, intends to resign from the Company effective March 2, 2006. On November 7, 2005, Equinix entered into a letter agreement with Mr. Koen providing for his continued employment through March 2, 2006. Under the agreement, Equinix has agreed that it will not terminate Mr. Koen's employment prior to March 2, 2006 except for cause as defined in the agreement. Mr. Koen will continue to receive his annual salary, bonus and benefits in accordance with Equinix's existing policies and will be granted an option for 42,500 shares of Equinix Common Stock. Provided Mr. Koen's employment does not end prior to March 2, 2006 due to voluntary resignation or a termination by Equinix for cause, then upon his separation from employment, Mr. Koen will become entitled to eighteen months of salary and bonus continuation, reimbursement of benefit premiums for eighteen months, acceleration of vesting of certain stock options, an additional 18 months to vest in certain restricted stock, and the time he has to exercise vested stock options will be extended to December 31, 2006 for accelerated options and 30 months following March 2, 2006 for the new option grant. The agreement also contains certain restrictive covenants, releases and other customary terms and conditions.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits.

- 99.1 Transition and Severance Agreement dated November 7, 2005, filed in accordance with Item 1.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K.

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 hereunto duly authorized.

EQUINIX, INC.

DATE: November 8, 2005

By: /s/ KEITH D. TAYLOR

Keith D. Taylor

Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit

Number	Description
99.1	Transition and Severance Agreement dated November 7, 2005.