

NETWORK 1 TECHNOLOGIES INC
Form 8-K
October 20, 2016

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 (Date of earliest event reported): October 19, 2016

Network-1 Technologies, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware001-15288 11-3027591

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer
of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

445 Park Avenue, Suite 912, New York, New York 10022

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 829-5770

N/A

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(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On October 19, 2016, Network-1 Technologies, Inc. ("Network-1") issued a press release announcing that the Patent Trial and Appeal Board ("PTAB") of the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") issued its Final Written Decision in favor of Network-1 in the pending Covered Business Method Patent Review proceeding ("CBM") relating to a challenge made by Google, Inc. and YouTube, LLC to the patentability of one of the patents of Network-1's Cox Patent Portfolio. In the Final Written Decision, the PTAB ruled that Google had failed to show that any of the thirty-four (34) claims of U.S. Patent 8,904,464 were unpatentable. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated October 19, 2016

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.

NETWORK-1 TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Dated: October 20, 2016 By: /s/ Corey M. Horowitz
Name: Corey M. Horowitz
Title: Chairman & Chief Executive Officer