

Lightwave Logic, Inc.
Form 8-K
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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): **May 3, 2011**

Lightwave Logic, Inc.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada
(State or other jurisdiction of
Incorporation or Organization)

0-52567
(Commission File Number)

82-049-7368
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

121 Continental Drive, Suite 110, Newark, Delaware
(Address of principal executive offices)

19713
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(302) 356-2717**

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

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Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On May 3, 2011, Lightwave Logic, Inc. (the Company) signed a purchase agreement (the Purchase Agreement) with Lincoln Park Capital Fund, LLC (LPC), an Illinois limited liability company. We also entered into a registration rights agreement (the RRA) with LPC whereby we agreed to file a registration statement related to the transaction with the U.S. Securities & Exchange Commission (SEC) covering the shares of the Company's common stock that may be issued to LPC under the Purchase Agreement. After the SEC has declared effective the registration statement related to the transaction, we have the right, in our sole discretion, over a 30-month period to sell our shares of common stock to LPC in amounts up to \$1,000,000 per sale, depending on certain conditions as set forth in the Purchase Agreement, up to the aggregate commitment of \$20 million.

There are no upper limits to the price LPC may pay to purchase our common stock and the purchase price of the shares related to the \$20 million of future funding will be based on the prevailing market prices of the Company's shares of common stock immediately preceding the time of sales without any fixed discount, and the Company controls the timing and amount of any future sales, if any, of shares of common stock to LPC. LPC shall not have the right or the obligation to purchase any shares of our common stock on any business day that the price of our common stock is below the floor price as set forth in the Purchase Agreement.

The Purchase Agreement contains customary representations, warranties, covenants, closing conditions and indemnification and termination provisions by, among and for the benefit of the parties. LPC has covenanted not to cause or engage in any manner whatsoever, any direct or indirect short selling or hedging of the Company's shares of common stock. In consideration for entering into the \$20 million agreement, we issued to LPC 150,830 shares of our common stock as a commitment fee and shall issue up to 301,659 shares pro rata, when and if, LPC purchases at the Company's discretion the \$20 million aggregate commitment. The Purchase Agreement may be terminated by us at any time at our discretion without any cost to us.

The foregoing description of the Purchase Agreement and the RRA are qualified in their entirety by reference to the full text of the Purchase Agreement and the RRA, a copy of each of which is attached hereto as Exhibits 10.1 and 10.2, respectively, and each of which is incorporated herein in its entirety by reference.

Item 3.02 Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities.

The information contained above in Item 1.01 is hereby incorporated by reference into this Item 3.02.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(a)

Not applicable.

(b)

Not applicable.

(c)

Not applicable.

(d)

Exhibit No Description:

EXHIBIT NO.	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION
10.1	Purchase Agreement, dated as of May 3, 2011, by and between the Company and Lincoln Park Capital Fund, LLC	Provided herewith
10.2	Registration Rights Agreement, dated as of May 3, 2011, by and between the Company and Lincoln Park Capital Fund, LLC	Provided herewith

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: May 6, 2011

LIGHTWAVE LOGIC, INC.

By:

/s/ James S. Marcelli

Name:

James S. Marcelli

Title:

President and Chief Executive Officer