

SCM MICROSYSTEMS INC  
Form 8-K  
May 28, 2010

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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): 05/26/2010**

**SCM Microsystems, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Commission File Number: 000-29440**

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

**77-0444317**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**1900-B Carnegie Avenue**  
Santa Ana, CA 92705  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**949-250-8888**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

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:

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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 8.01. Other Events**

On May 26, 2010, Steven Humphreys was appointed Lead Independent Director of the Board of Directors of SCM Microsystems, Inc. d/b/a/ Identive Group (the "Company"), effective immediately. Mr. Humphreys has served as a director of the Company since July 1996, and he is currently a member of the Company's Audit Committee and Compensation Committee.

As Lead Independent Director, Mr. Humphreys is responsible for coordinating the activities of the independent directors. In addition, the Lead Independent Director will advise the Chairman of the Board as to the information provided by Company management to the independent directors, manage executive sessions of the Board's independent directors, and act as principal liaison between the independent directors and the Chairman of the Board. The Lead Independent Director will be elected annually by the independent directors when the roles of the Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officers are held by the same person. The Lead Independent Director Charter is posted on the corporate governance page of the Company's website at [www.scmmicro.com](http://www.scmmicro.com) and [www.identive-group.com](http://www.identive-group.com).

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**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.

SCM Microsystems, Inc.

Date: May 28, 2010

By: /s/ Melvin Denton-Thompson

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Melvin Denton-Thompson  
Chief Financial Officer (Principal Accounting Officer)