### **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): November 7, 2005

# Bottomline Technologies (de), Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction 000-25259 (Commission File Number) 02-0433294 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

of Incorporation)

325 Corporate Drive, Portsmouth, New Hampshire 03801

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (603) 436-0700

Not Applicable.

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(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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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#### Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

At an investor conference being held on November 7 and 8, 2005, Bottomline Technologies (de), Inc. (the Company) will reconfirm its prior guidance for the current quarter ended December 31, 2005 with respect to revenue, GAAP earnings per share and non-GAAP earnings per share.

The Company will also announce that since the end of the September quarter, the Company has:

Signed a multi-year contract with McKesson to utilize the Company s Legal eXchange.

Finalized a partnership with a large global ERP software company. Through this arrangement the Company will provide web-based payment infrastructure in support of the partner s new hosted payroll service for its small and mid-size business customers.

The information in this Form 8-K shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act ) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

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#### **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.

Date: November 7, 2005

BOTTOMLINE TECHNOLOGIES (de), INC.

By: /s/ Kevin Donovan Kevin Donovan

Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer