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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): January 12, 2005 _____

InterDigital Communications Corporation (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania 1-11152 25 100200.
(State or other jurisdiction (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

781 Third Avenue, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

19406-1409 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 610-878-7800

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Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

Nokia Corporation and Nokia, Inc. (collectively, "Nokia") have filed a complaint in the United States District Court for the District of Delaware against InterDigital Communications Corporation and its wholly-owned subsidiary, InterDigital Technology Corporation (collectively, "InterDigital"), for

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declaratory judgments of patent invalidity and noninfringement and violations of the Lanham Act relating to 3G mobile phone technology. The complaint specifically states that the current arbitration involving Nokia and InterDigital (as most recently reported in InterDigital's Form 10-Q for the period ended September 30, 2004) does not involve 3G products. InterDigital is reviewing the complaint and intends to take all necessary steps to vigorously defend its position.

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.

INTERDIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION

By: /s/ Lawrence F. Shay

Lawrence F. Shay General Counsel

Date: January 13, 2005