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 earliest event reported: December 6, 2007

Nuvelo, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction 000-22873 (Commission File Number) 36-3855489 (I.R.S. Employer

of Incorporation)

201 Industrial Road, Suite 310, San Carlos, CA 94070-6211

Identification No.)

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(650) 517-8000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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Item 5.03 Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year

On December 6, 2007, the Board of Directors of the Registrant approved an amendment to Article IV (Officers) Section 11 (Secretary) and Article VI (Certificates of Stock and Their Transfer) Sections 1 (Stock Record and Certificates) and 7 (Transfer of Shares) of the Registrant s Bylaws to permit the issuance and transfer of both certificated and uncertificated shares of capital stock, in order to be eligible for a Direct Registration Program operated by a clearing agency registered under Section 17A of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

This description of the bylaws above is qualified in its entirety by reference to the copy of the amended and restated bylaws, attached hereto as Exhibit 3.2 and incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits:

Exhibit No. Description

3.2 Amended and Restated Bylaws Nuvelo, Inc., effective December 6, 2007.

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.

Nuvelo, Inc. (Registrant)

By: /s/ Lee Bendekgey Lee Bendekgey Senior Vice President and General Counsel

Dated: December 12, 2007

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