STEC, INC. Form 8-K March 14, 2013

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) March 14, 2013

STEC, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

California (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 000-31623 (Commission File Number) <u>33-0399154</u> (IRS Employer Identification No.)

3001 Daimler StreetSanta Ana, California92705-5812(Address of principal executive offices)(Zip Code)Registrant's telephone number, including area code:(949) 476-1180

N/A

(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):

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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 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On March 14, 2013, STEC, Inc. ("STEC") announced its financial results for the fourth quarter and year-ended ended December 31, 2012. In its press release, STEC included non-GAAP financial measures, as defined in Regulation G promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"). A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

The information in this Item 2.02 and Exhibit 99.1 shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing of STEC under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, unless STEC specifically incorporates the foregoing information into those documents by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is furnished as part of this report:

| <u>Exhibit</u> | |
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| <u>Number</u> | Description of Exhibit |
| 99.1 | Press Release of STEC, Inc. dated March 14, 2013. |

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SIGNATURE

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

STEC, Inc.

Date: March 14, 2013

By: <u>/s/ RAYMOND D. COOK</u> Raymond D. Cook Chief Financial Officer

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ExhibitDescription of Exhibit99.1Press Release of STEC, Inc. dated March 14, 2013.