TIER TECHNOLOGIES INC Form 8-K February 07, 2011

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 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): February 7, 2011

TIER TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 000-23195 94-3145844 (State or Other Jurisdiction of (Commission (IRS Employer Identification Incorporation) File Number) No.) 11130 Sunrise Valley Drive, Suite 20191 300 (Zip Code) Reston, Virginia (Address of Principal Executive Offices) Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 571-382-1000 Not Applicable

(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 obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 7, 2011, Tier Technologies, Inc., or the Company, issued a press release announcing the Company's financial results for the quarter ended December 31, 2010. A copy of this press release is furnished with this current report as Exhibit 99.1. As disclosed in the press release, the registrant intends to hold a conference call for investors at 8 a.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, February 8, 2011. The company script for the conference call is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.2, and the accompanying slide presentation is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.3.

The information furnished shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, or incorporated by reference into any filing thereunder or under the Securities Act of 1933 unless expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

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99.1	Press release titled "Tier Reports Fiscal 2011 First Quarter Results," issued
	by the Company on February 7, 2011.
99.2	Script for February 8, 2011 earnings conference call.
99.3	Slide presentation for February 8, 2011 earnings conference call.

Exhibits 99.1, 99.2 and 99.3 shall be deemed to be furnished and not filed by the Company.

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.

TIER TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By: /s/ Ronald W. Johnston
Name: Ronald W. Johnston
Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: February 7, 2011

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