SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

SECURITIES AI	ND EXCHANGE CO	MIMISSION
	Washington, D.C. 20549	
	FORM 8-K	
	CURRENT REPORT	
PURSU	ANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d))
OF THE SEC	CURITIES EXCHANGE ACT O	F 1934
Date of Report (D	ate of earliest event reported): Septembe	er 8, 2004
	re Technologies, I	nc.
Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction	001-16537 (Commission File Number)	36-4370966 (I.R.S. Employer
of Incorporation)		Identification No.)
220 East First Street		
Bethlehem, Pennsylvania (Address of Principal Executive Offices)		18015-1360 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: 610-882-1820

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:

- " 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))

Item 1.01 Entry Into a Material Definitive Agreement

OraSure Technologies, Inc. (the Company) and Comerica Bank (Comerica) are parties to a Loan and Security Agreement, dated as of September 10, 2002, as amended (the Loan Agreement), pursuant to which Comerica has provided the Company with \$10.9 million in credit facilities, including a \$4.0 million revolving working capital line of credit (the Revolving Line) which had a maturity date of September 10, 2004. On September 8, 2004, the Company and Comerica entered into a letter agreement (the Letter Agreement) extending the maturity date of the Revolving Line to November 9, 2004. A copy of the Letter Agreement is attached as Exhibit 10 to this Form 8-K.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit

Number	Description
10	Letter Agreement, dated September 8, 2004, between OraSure Technologies, Inc. and Comerica Bank.

Signatures

Date: September 10, 2004

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

OraSure Technologies, Inc.

By: /s/ Jack E. Jerrett

Jack E. Jerrett

Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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