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ACUITY BRANDS INC Form 15-12B October 12, 2007

## **UNITED STATES**

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

# **Form 15**

Certification and Notice of Termination of Registration
Under Section 12(g) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
or Suspension of Duty to File Reports Under Sections 13 and 15(d)
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Commission File Number: 001-16583

# **Acuity Brands, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

1170 Peachtree Street, N.E., Suite 2400,

Atlanta, Georgia

Telephone: (404) 853-1400

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant s principal executive offices)

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6% Notes due 2009

## 8.375% Notes due 2010

(Title of each class of securities covered by this Form)

#### Common Stock

## **Preferred Stock Purchase Rights**

(Titles of all other classes of securities for which a duty to file reports under Section 13(a) or 15(d) remains)

Please place an X in the box(es) to designate the appropriate rule provision(s) relied upon to terminate or suspend the duty to file reports:

Rule $12g-4(a)(1)(i)$ x	Rule $12h-3(b)(1)(i) x$
Rule 12g-4(a)(1)(ii) "	Rule 12h-3(b)(1)(ii) "
Rule 12g-4(a)(2)(i) "	Rule 12h-3(b)(2)(i) "
Rule 12g-4(a)(2)(ii) "	Rule 12h-3(b)(2)(ii) "
	Rule 15d-6 "

Approximate number of holders of record as of the certification or notice date:

6% Notes due 2009: 35 8.375% Notes due 2010: 35

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Acuity Brands, Inc. has caused this certification/notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

Date: October 12, 2007 By: /s/ Kenyon W. Murphy

Kenyon W. Murphy

Executive Vice President, Chief Administrative Officer, and General

Counsel

Instruction: This form is required by Rules 12g-4, 12h-3 and 15d-6 of the General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The registrant shall file with the Commission three copies of Form 15, one of which shall be manually signed. It may be signed by an officer of the registrant, by counsel or by any other duly authorized person. The name and title of the person signing the form shall be typed or printed under the signature.