ALTAIR NANOTECHNOLOGIES INC Form 8-K

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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): April 27, 2011

| Altair Nanotechnologies Inc. | | | | |
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| (Exact Name of Registrant as Specific | ed in its Charter) | | | |
| Canada (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) | 1-12497 (Commission File Number) | 33-1084375 (IRS Employer Identification No.) | | |
| 204 Edison Way Reno, NV (Address of Principal Executive Offices) | | 89502 (Zip Code) | | |
| Registrant's Telephone Number, Inclu (801) 858-3750 | nding Area Code: | | | |
| N/A | | | | |
| (Former name, former address, and fo | ormal fiscal year, if cha | anged since last report) | | |
| Check the appropriate box below if the registrant under any of the following | • | intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation eneral Instruction A.2. below): | of | |
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Item 1.01

Entry into Material Definitive Agreement

The information set forth in Item 2.03 is incorporated into this Item 1.01 by reference.

Item Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of a Registrant

On April 27, 2011, Altair Nanotechnologies Inc. (the "Company") and Altairnano, Inc. entered into a Note Secured by Deed of Trust, a Deed of Trust, Guaranty and Hazardous Materials Indemnity Agreement (collectively, the "Loan Documents") for the provision of a \$1,500,000 loan (the "Loan") secured by the Company's headquarters located in Reno, Nevada. Under the terms of the Loan Documents, interest accrues on the outstanding principal balance at the rate of 11% per annum. The Company is obligated to make interest-only payments on a monthly basis during the term of the Loan and to repay all principal and any outstanding interest on or before May 1, 2012. Although the Company may prepay the Loan, it is obligated to pay a minimum of five months' interest. Proceeds of the Loan will be used for general working capital requirements.

The foregoing descriptions of the Loan Documents are not complete and are qualified in their entirety by reference to the full text of such agreements, copies of which are filed herewith as exhibits to this Current Report on Form 8-K and are incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01

Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

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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.

Altair Nanotechnologies Inc.

Dated: May 2, 2011 By: /s/ John Fallini

John Fallini, Chief Financial Officer

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