

ATSI COMMUNICATIONS INC/DE
Form 8-K
September 14, 2007

**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) September 14, 2007

ATSI Communications, Inc.
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Nevada
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-15687
(Commission File Number)

74-2849995
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

**3201 Cherry Ridge,
Building C, Suite 300
San Antonio, Texas**
(Address of Principal Executive
Offices)

78230
(Zip Code)

(210) 614-7240
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act
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Item 8.01 Other Events

On Wednesday, September 12, 2007, ATSI Communications, Inc. (the "Registrant") issued a press release announcing that Joseph M. Troche joined the Company as Sr. Vice President of Global Sales for Digerati Networks, Inc., its international VoIP business unit. Mr. Troche fills a newly created position formed by the Company to support the continued growth of Digerati Networks, which has posted dramatic growth over the past three years.

Mr. Troche has more than 20 years of communications industry experience in sales management of voice, data, and Internet service offerings. Prior to joining ATSI, Mr. Troche held various executive management positions including Sr. Vice President of Sales with Fusion Telecom International, Vice President of Carrier Sales with Telco Group, Inc., and Vice President of International Carrier Sales for GRIC Communications. Prior to GRIC, Mr. Troche was Vice President of Carrier Sales for World Access, Inc. In less than two years, he built a global sales program that delivered revenues at an annualized rate exceeding \$350 million. During Mr. Troche's communications career, he has been involved in some of the industry's notable mergers and acquisitions including ATC and Microtel, Resurgens Communications Group and Metromedia, and the World Access acquisition of Facilicom.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

| (d) | Exhibits. |
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| <u>Exhibit Number</u> | <u>Description</u> |
| Exhibit 99.1 | Press Release, dated September 12, 2007 |

SIGNATURES

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.

ATSI Communications, Inc.
Dated: September 14, 2007

By: /s/ Antonio Estrada

Antonio Estrada
Corporate Controller