

Consolidated Communications Holdings, Inc.

Form 8-K

March 28, 2006

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**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): March 28, 2006**  
**CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS HOLDINGS, INC.**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<b>Delaware</b>	<b>000-51446</b>	<b>02-0636095</b>
(State of Incorporation)	Commission File Number	(IRS employer identification no.)
<b>121 South 17<sup>th</sup> Street</b> <b>Mattoon, Illinois</b>		<b>61938-3987</b>
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip code)
	Registrant's telephone number, including area code: <b>(217) 235-3311</b>	
	<b>Not Applicable</b>	
	(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 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 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On March 28, 2006, at approximately 12:40 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, Steven L. Childers, chief financial officer of Consolidated Communications Holdings, Inc. (the Company ), will speak at the Credit Suisse Global Leveraged Finance Conference (the Conference ) in Phoenix, Arizona. Mr. Childers' presentation will be available live and for replay and can be accessed from the Investor Relations section of the Company's website at <http://www.consolidated.com>. Attached as Exhibit 99.1 are the PowerPoint slides that Mr. Childers will present at the Conference.

The information in this Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1, is being furnished and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act ) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed to be incorporated by reference in any registration statement or other document filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as otherwise stated in such filing.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) *Exhibits.*

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	PowerPoint slides.

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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.

Date: March 28, 2006

Consolidated Communications Holdings,  
Inc.

By: /s/ Steven L. Childers

Name: Steven L. Childers  
Title: Chief Financial Officer

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