

CROWN MEDIA HOLDINGS INC
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FORM 12b-25

NOTIFICATION OF LATE FILING

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 Form N-SAR Form N-CSR

For Period Ended: December 31, 2005

- Transition Report on Form 10-K
 - Transition Report on Form 20-F
 - Transition Report on Form 11-K
 - Transition Report on Form 10-Q
 - Transition Report on Form N-SAR
- For the Transition Period Ended:

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If the notification relates to a portion of the filing checked above, identify the Item(s) to which the notification relates: Not Applicable

PART I REGISTRANT INFORMATION

Crown Media Holdings, Inc.
Full Name of Registrant

Not Applicable
Former Name if Applicable

12700 Ventura Boulevard, Suite 200
Address of Principal Executive Office (*Street and Number*)

Studio City, CA 91604
City, State and Zip Code

PART II RULES 12b-25(b) AND (c)

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If the subject report could not be filed without unreasonable effort or expense and the registrant seeks relief pursuant to Rule 12b-25(b), the following should be completed. (Check box if appropriate)

- (a) The reason described in reasonable detail in Part III of this form could not be eliminated without unreasonable effort or expense
- (b) The subject annual report, semi-annual report, transition report on Form 10-K, Form 20-F, Form 11-K, Form N-SAR or Form N-CSR, or portion thereof, will be filed on or before the fifteenth calendar day following the prescribed due date; or the subject quarterly report or transition report on Form 10-Q or subject distribution report on Form 10-D, or portion thereof, will be filed on or before the fifth calendar day following the prescribed due date; and
- (c) The accountant's statement or other exhibit required by Rule 12b-25(c) has been attached if applicable.

PART III NARRATIVE

State below in reasonable detail why Forms 10-K, 20-F, 11-K, 10-Q, 10-D, N-SAR, N-CSR, or the transition report or portion thereof, could not be filed within the prescribed time period.

The Company has not completed its financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2005. Factors contributing to the delay, among others, include a review of financial statements for the third quarter of 2005 as a result of a restatement of the Company's Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows for the nine months ended September 30, 2005 as reported in a Form 8-K Report filed on March 14, 2006. (The restatement relates only to the presentation of a certain non-cash transaction in such Statement.) The Company will be unable to complete both the 2005 annual report on Form 10-K by the initial filing date of the Form 10-K without unreasonable effort or expense.

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(Attach extra Sheets if Needed)

PART IV OTHER INFORMATION

(1) Name and telephone number of person to contact in regard to this notification

William J. Aliber
(Name)

816
(Area Code)

274-4488
(Telephone Number)

(2) Have all other periodic reports required under Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 during the preceding 12 months or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such report(s) been filed? If answer is no, identify report(s).

Yes No

(3) Is it anticipated that any significant change in results of operations from the corresponding period for the last fiscal year will be reflected by the earnings statements to be included in the subject report or portion thereof?

Yes No

If so, attach an explanation of the anticipated change, both narratively and quantitatively, and, if appropriate, state the reasons why a reasonable estimate of the results cannot be made.

Items, such as increased revenues, changes in expenses and changes in loss from discontinued operations, will result in changes in the operating results of the year ended December 31, 2005 compared to the year ended December 31, 2004. However, the Company has not completed its financial statements for the 2005 year. Therefore, the Company is not in a position at this time to provide any reasonable estimate of any anticipated significant changes in the results of operations for the year ended December 31, 2005 compared to the year ended December 31, 2004.

CROWN MEDIA HOLDINGS, INC.

(Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

has caused this notification to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date **March 14, 2006**

By **/s/ William J. Aliber**
William J. Aliber
Executive Vice President, CFO

INSTRUCTION: The form may be signed by an executive officer of the registrant or by any other duly authorized representative. The name and title of the person signing the form shall be typed or printed beneath the signature. If the statement is signed on behalf of the registrant by an authorized representative (other than an executive officer), evidence of the representative's authority to sign on behalf of the registrant shall be filed with the form.

ATTENTION

Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute Federal Criminal Violations (See 18 U.S.C. 1001).

