CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL INC Form 8-K November 03, 2006

## **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): November 2, 2006

# CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

**DELAWARE** (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-14962 (Commission file number) 25 CORPORATE DRIVE, SUITE 130 04-3477276 (IRS employer identification no.)

### BURLINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS 01803-4238

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(781) 270-1200

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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### Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement and

### Item 3.03. Material Modification to Rights of Security Holders.

On November 2, 2006, CIRCOR International, Inc. (the Company ) and American Stock Transfer & Trust Company (the Rights Agent ) entered into an amendment to the Company s Shareholder Rights Agreement (the Rights Agreement Amendment ) in order to increase from 15% to 20% the ownership percentage of the Company s common stock that any Institutional Investor (as such term is defined in the Rights Agreement Amendment) may own without becoming an Acquiring Person and thereby triggering the Shareholder Rights Agreement. The original Shareholder Rights Agreement is dated as of September 16, 1999 and was previously amended by an Agreement of Substitution and Amendment of Shareholder Rights Agreement dated as of November 1, 2002.

The foregoing description of the Rights Agreement Amendment does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to Amendment No. 2 to Shareholder Rights Agreement which is incorporated herein by reference and a copy of which is appended as Exhibit 4.3 to this current report.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

#### (d) Exhibits

### Exhibit No. Description

4.3 Amendment No.2 To Shareholder Rights Agreement

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, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: November 2, 2006

### CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL, INC.

By: /S/ Alan J. Glass

Name: Alan J. Glass

Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary