SPARK NETWORKS INC Form 8-K August 10, 2007

# **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): August 8, 2007

Spark Networks, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

000-51195 (Commission File Number) 20-8901733 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

8383 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 800, Beverly Hills, California (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(323) 658-3000

90211 (Zip Code)

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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(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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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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 8.01** Other Events

Pursuant to an agreement entered into on August 8, 2007, Spark Networks, Inc. (the Company ) has agreed to purchase 1,288,308 shares of the Company s common stock at a price of \$4.04 per share for an aggregate purchase price of \$5,204,764 from certain affiliates of Tiger Global Management, LLC in a privately negotiated transaction. The Company anticipates that the transaction will close in the next few trading days. The purchase will be funded through internally generated funds, and the shares will be retired. The Company s board of directors authorized this repurchase separate from the Company s current stock repurchase program.

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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.

SPARK NETWORKS, INC.

Date: August 10, 2007 By: /s/ Mark G. Thompson

Name: Mark G. Thompson Title: Chief Financial Officer