# 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 21, 2012

Aware, Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 000-21129

Massachusetts
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

04-2911026 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

40 Middlesex Turnpike, Bedford, MA, 01730 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(781) 276-4000 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable (Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets. 2.01.

On September 21, 2012, pursuant to the previously disclosed Patent Purchase Agreement dated August 22, 2012, Aware, Inc. ("Aware") completed its previously announced sale to TQ Delta, LLC ("TQ Delta"), of selected patents and patent applications relating to DSL technology.

The purchase price for the sale of the assets consisted of a payment by TQ Delta to Aware of \$16 million in cash at closing.

Item Financial Statements and Exhibits. 9.01.

No financial statements are required to be filed as part of this Report.

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## Signature(s)

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, thereunto duly authorized.

AWARE, INC.

By: /s/ Kevin T. Russell

Kevin T. Russell

Co-President & co-Chief Executive

Officer

Date: September 21, 2012