

SCANSOFT INC
Form 8-K
September 01, 2005

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**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 31, 2005

SCANSOFT, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE

000-27038

94-3156479

(State or Other Jurisdiction of
Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

1 Wayside Road

Burlington, Massachusetts 01803

(Address of Principal Executive Offices, including Zip Code)

(781) 565-5000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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.

On August 31, 2005, ScanSoft, Inc. and Nuance Communications, Inc. issued a joint press release announcing the results of the vote of their stockholders, at their respective Special Meetings, to approve the merger of Nuance with ScanSoft and related matters. A copy of the release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated August 31, 2005 by ScanSoft, Inc.

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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.

ScanSoft, Inc.

By: /s/ James R. Arnold, Jr.

James R. Arnold, Jr.
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: August 31, 2005

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press Release dated August 31, 2005 by ScanSoft, Inc.