

AU OPTRONICS CORP
Form 6-K
July 15, 2005

FORM 6-K
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

July 13, 2005

Commission File Number 001-31335

AU Optronics Corp.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

No. 1 Li-Hsin Road 2
Hsinchu Science Park

Hsinchu, Taiwan

(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F Form 40-F

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Yes ___ No X

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Not applicable

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Item

1. Taiwan Stock Exchange filing entitled, Local Payment Dates for Year 2004 Stock and Cash Dividends , dated July 13, 2005

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, thereunto duly authorized.

AU Optronics Corp.

Date: July 13, 2005

By: /s/ Max Weishun Cheng

Name: Max Weishun Cheng

Title: Chief Financial Officer

**AU Optronics Corp.
English Language Summary**

Subject: Local Payment Dates for Year 2004 Stock and Cash Dividends

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A stock dividend of NT\$0.9 per share and a cash dividend of NT\$1.2 per share for the year 2004 were approved by our shareholders at our shareholders' meeting held on June 14, 2005. The record date for payment of the dividends in respect of our common shares was July 20, 2005 for the local market and July 18, 2005 for the U.S. market. The local payment dates for the aforementioned stock and cash dividends are set to be August 26, 2005 and September 15, 2005, respectively.

ADS holders will not receive the stock and cash dividends on the local payment dates. After each local payment date, the depositary of our ADS facility will announce the respective U.S. payment date.