UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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		FORM 8-K	
	Pursu	CURRENT REPORT nant to Section 13 OR 15(d) ecurities Exchange Act of 193	4
	Date of Report (Date	e of earliest event reported):	July 12, 2020
		og Devices, Inc	
	Massachusetts (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	1-7819 (Commission File Number)	04-2348234 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
	One Technology Way, Norwood, MA (Address of Principal Executive Offices)		02062 (Zip Code)
	Registrant's telephor	ne number, including area code: (78)	1) 329-4700
	(Former Name or F	Not Applicable Former Address, if Changed Since Las	t Report)
	ck the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended	ed to simultaneously satisfy the filing	g obligation of the registrant under any of the
\boxtimes	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)		
	Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)		
	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))		
	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))		
Sec	urities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:		
	Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
	Common Stock \$0.16 2/3 par value per share	ADI	Nasdaq Global Select Market

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new

or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. \Box

Emerging growth company \square

Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

On July 12, 2020, Analog Devices Inc., a Massachusetts corporation (the "Company"), entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Merger Agreement"), by and among the Company, Magneto Corp., a Delaware corporation and wholly owned subsidiary of the Company ("Merger Sub"), and Maxim Integrated Products, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Maxim"), pursuant to which, subject to the terms and conditions set forth therein, Merger Sub will merge with and into Maxim (the "Merger"), with Maxim surviving such Merger as a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company.

Merger Consideration

Under the Merger Agreement, at the effective time of the Merger (the "Effective Time"), each share of common stock, par value \$0.001 per share, of Maxim (the "Maxim Common Stock") issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time (other than treasury shares and any shares of Maxim Common Stock held directly by the Company or Merger Sub) will be converted into the right to receive 0.6300 (the "Exchange Ratio") of a fully paid and non-assessable share of common stock, par value \$0.16 2/3 per share, of the Company (the "Company Common Stock") and, if applicable, cash in lieu of fractional shares, subject to any applicable withholding.

At the Effective Time, (i) all Maxim restricted stock units and Maxim restricted shares (excluding any Maxim restricted stock units and Maxim restricted shares that by their terms become vested and settled upon the Effective Time) outstanding as of immediately prior to the Effective Time will be automatically converted into restricted stock units or restricted shares, as applicable, denominated in shares of Company Common Stock based on the Exchange Ratio, (ii) all Maxim performance-based market stock units ("Maxim MSUs") outstanding as of immediately prior to the Effective Time will be automatically converted into time-based restricted stock unit awards denominated in shares of Company Common Stock based on (x) the number of shares of Maxim Common Stock subject to the Maxim MSU after giving effect to any applicable provisions in the award agreement governing the Maxim MSU with respect to a "change in control" and (y) the Exchange Ratio, and (iii) all Maxim options outstanding as of immediately prior to the Effective Time will be automatically converted into options to acquire a number of shares of Company Common Stock determined based on the Exchange Ratio (with the exercise price being adjusted based on the Exchange Ratio). Aside from the foregoing adjustments, the awards will generally remain subject to the same vesting and other terms and conditions that applied to the awards immediately prior to the Effective Time (including the terms and conditions of Maxim's applicable change in control plan).

Post-Closing Governance

The Company has agreed to add two members of Maxim's board of directors (one of whom will be Tunç Doluca) to the Company's board of directors at the closing of the Merger. The two directors will be selected by mutual agreement of the Company and Maxim, and the Company has agreed to nominate them for election at the Company's first annual meeting that occurs after the closing.

Conditions to the Merger

The obligation of Maxim and the Company to consummate the transactions contemplated by the Merger Agreement is subject to the satisfaction or waiver of a number of customary conditions, including: (i) the adoption of the Merger Agreement by Maxim's stockholders; (ii) approval of the issuance of shares of Company Common Stock in the Merger by the Company's shareholders; (iii) the Company's registration statement on Form S-4 to be filed in connection with the Merger having become effective, and the shares of Company Common Stock issuable in the Merger having been approved for listing on the Nasdaq; (iv) the expiration of any applicable waiting period and receipt of any required approvals under the antitrust laws of the United States and certain foreign jurisdictions; (v) the absence of specified adverse laws or orders; and (vi) the representations and warranties of Maxim and the Company being true and correct, subject to the materiality standards contained in the Merger Agreement, and Maxim and the Company having complied in all material respects with their respective obligations under the Merger Agreement. The Company's obligation to complete the Merger is also subject to the Company not having been required to agree to any conditions or to take any actions in order to obtain any required regulatory approvals that would have a Burdensome Effect (as defined in the Merger Agreement).

Representations and Warranties; Covenants

The Merger Agreement contains customary representations and warranties given by Maxim, the Company and Merger Sub. The Company and Maxim have also each made customary covenants in the Merger Agreement, including covenants by each of the parties relating to conduct of their business prior to the closing of the Merger. Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, Maxim will suspend its dividend for four quarters beginning with the second quarter of Fiscal 2021. The parties have generally agreed to use their respective reasonable best efforts to complete the Merger, including to obtain the required regulatory approvals for the transaction, and the Company has agreed, if required, to make divestitures or to accept changes or restrictions on its current or future business operations, so long as such actions would not exceed the revenue cap set forth in the Merger Agreement.

The Merger Agreement also contains reciprocal covenants by Maxim and the Company not to solicit or participate in any discussions or negotiations with any person making an inquiry or proposal for an alternative transaction, and requiring Maxim's and the Company's respective boards of directors to recommend the transaction-related proposals to their shareholders, in each case subject to certain exceptions. Prior to the approval of the transaction-related proposals by its shareholders, the boards of directors of Maxim and the Company, as applicable, may change their recommendation in response to an unsolicited proposal for an alternative transaction, if the board of directors determines that the proposal constitutes a "Company Superior Proposal" or "Parent Superior Proposal" (each as defined in the Merger Agreement), as applicable, subject to

complying with certain procedures set forth in the Merger Agreement. Prior to the approval of the transaction-related proposals by its shareholders, Maxim's and the Company's respective boards of directors may also change their recommendation if a "Company Intervening Event" or "Parent Intervening Event" (each as defined in the Merger Agreement), as applicable, occurs, and the applicable board of directors determines, after consultation with its outside legal counsel and financial advisor, that failing to change its recommendation would be reasonably likely to be inconsistent with its fiduciary duties subject to complying with certain procedures set forth in the Merger Agreement.

Termination and Termination Fees

The Merger Agreement contains customary mutual termination rights for Maxim and the Company, including if the Merger is not completed by July 12, 2021 (subject to automatic extension first to October 12, 2021 and then to January 12, 2022, in each case, to the extent the regulatory closing conditions remain outstanding) (the "Outside Date"), and if either of the required shareholder approvals is not obtained. The Merger Agreement also contains customary termination rights for the benefit of each party, including (i) if the board of directors of the other party changes its recommendation and (ii) if the other party breaches its representations, warranties or covenants under the Merger Agreement in a way that would result in a failure of its condition to closing being satisfied (subject to certain procedures and cure periods).

Under the Merger Agreement, Maxim and the Company will be required to pay a termination fee to the other party equal to \$725 million if the Merger Agreement is terminated in certain circumstances, including if the Merger Agreement is terminated because its board of directors has changed its recommendation. The Company will be required to pay a termination fee equal to \$830 million if the Merger Agreement is terminated in certain circumstances related to the failure to obtain required regulatory approvals prior to the Outside Date.

Additional Information

The foregoing description of the Merger and the Merger Agreement does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Merger Agreement, which is filed as Exhibit 2.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K, and is incorporated herein by reference. A copy of the Merger Agreement has been included to provide investors with information regarding its terms and is not intended to provide any factual information about Maxim or the Company.

The Merger Agreement contains representations, warranties, covenants and agreements, which were made only for purposes of such agreement and as of specified dates. The representations and warranties in the Merger Agreement reflect negotiations between the parties to the Merger Agreement and are not intended as statements of fact to be relied upon by shareholders, or any individual or other entity other than the parties. In particular, the representations, warranties, covenants and agreements in the Merger Agreement may be subject to limitations agreed by the parties, including having been modified or qualified by certain confidential disclosures that were made between the parties in connection with the negotiation of the Merger Agreement, and having been made for purposes of allocating risk among the parties rather than establishing matters of fact. In addition, the parties may apply standards of materiality in a way that is

different from what may be viewed as material by investors. As such, the representations and warranties in the Merger Agreement may not describe the actual state of affairs at the date they were made or at any other time and you should not rely on them as statements of fact. Moreover, information concerning the subject matter of the representations and warranties may change after the date of the Merger Agreement, and unless required by applicable law, the Company undertakes no obligation to update such information.

Forward Looking Statements

This communication relates to a proposed business combination transaction between the Company and Maxim. This communication contains "forwardlooking statements" within the meaning of the federal securities laws. Forward-looking statements address a variety of subjects, including, for example, projections as to the anticipated benefits of the proposed transaction, the anticipated impact of the proposed transaction on the combined organization's business and future financial and operating results, the expected amount and timing of synergies from the proposed transaction, and the anticipated closing date for the proposed transaction. Statements that are not historical facts, including statements about the Company's and Maxim's beliefs, plans and expectations, are forward-looking statements. Such statements are based on the Company's and Maxim's current expectations and are subject to a number of factors and uncertainties, which could cause actual results to differ materially from those described in the forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements often contain words such as "expect," "anticipate," "intend," "plan," "believe," "estimate," "would," "target" and similar expressions, as well as variations or negatives of these words. The following important factors and uncertainties, among others, could cause actual results to differ materially from those described in these forward-looking statements: the uncertainty as to the extent of the duration, scope and impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic; political and economic uncertainty, including any faltering in global economic conditions or the stability of credit and financial markets, erosion of consumer confidence and declines in customer spending; unavailability of raw materials, services, supplies or manufacturing capacity; changes in geographic scope or product or customer mix; changes in export classifications, import and export regulations or duties and tariffs; changes in the Company's or Maxim's estimates of their expected tax rate based on current tax law; the Company's ability to successfully integrate Maxim's businesses and technologies; the risk that the expected benefits and synergies of the proposed transaction and growth prospects of the combined company may not be fully achieved in a timely manner, or at all; adverse results in litigation matters, including the potential for litigation related to the proposed transaction; the risk that the Company or Maxim will be unable to retain and hire key personnel; the risk associated with the Company's and Maxim's ability to obtain the approvals of their respective shareholders required to consummate the proposed transaction and the timing of the closing of the proposed transaction, including the risk that the conditions to the transaction are not satisfied on a timely basis or at all or the failure of the transaction to close for any other reason or to close on the anticipated terms, including the anticipated tax treatment; the risk that any regulatory approval, consent or authorization that may be required for the proposed transaction is not obtained or is obtained subject to conditions that are not anticipated; unanticipated difficulties or expenditures relating to the transaction, the response of business partners and retention as a result of the announcement and pendency of the transaction; uncertainty as to the long-term value of the Company's common stock; and the diversion of management time on transaction-related matters. These risks, as well as other risks related to the

proposed transaction, will be included in the registration statement on Form S-4 and joint proxy statement/prospectus that will be filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") in connection with the proposed transaction. While the list of factors presented here is, and the list of factors to be presented in the registration statement on Form S-4 are, considered representative, no such list should be considered to be a complete statement of all potential risks and uncertainties. For additional information about other factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those described in the forward-looking statements, please refer to the Company's and Maxim's respective periodic reports and other filings with the SEC, including the risk factors contained in the Company's and Maxim's most recent Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q and Annual Reports on Form 10-K. Forward-looking statements represent management's current expectations and are inherently uncertain and are made only as of the date hereof. Except as required by law, neither the Company nor Maxim undertakes or assumes any obligation to update any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information or to reflect subsequent events or circumstances or otherwise.

No Offer or Solicitation

This communication is not intended to and shall not constitute an offer to buy or sell or the solicitation of an offer to buy or sell any securities, or a solicitation of any vote or approval, nor shall there be any sale of securities in any jurisdiction in which such offer, solicitation or sale would be unlawful prior to registration or qualification under the securities laws of any such jurisdiction. No offering of securities shall be made, except by means of a prospectus meeting the requirements of Section 10 of the U.S. Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

Additional Information about the Merger and Where to Find It

In connection with the proposed transaction, the Company intends to file with the Securities and Exchange Act (the "SEC") a registration statement on Form S-4 that will include a joint proxy statement of the Company and Maxim and that also constitutes a prospectus of the Company. Each of the Company and Maxim may also file other relevant documents with the SEC regarding the proposed transaction. This document is not a substitute for the joint proxy statement/prospectus or registration statement or any other document that the Company or Maxim may file with the SEC. The definitive joint proxy statement/prospectus (if and when available) will be mailed to shareholders of the Company and Maxim INVESTORS AND SECURITY HOLDERS ARE URGED TO READ THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT, JOINT PROXY STATEMENT/PROSPECTUS AND ANY OTHER RELEVANT DOCUMENTS THAT MAY BE FILED WITH THE SEC, AS WELL AS ANY AMENDMENTS OR SUPPLEMENTS TO THESE DOCUMENTS, CAREFULLY AND IN THEIR ENTIRETY IF AND WHEN THEY BECOME AVAILABLE BECAUSE THEY CONTAIN OR WILL CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE PROPOSED TRANSACTION. Investors and security holders will be able to obtain free copies of the registration statement and joint proxy statement/prospectus (if and when available) and other documents containing important information about the Company, Maxim and the proposed transaction, once such documents are filed with the SEC through the website maintained by the SEC at http://www.sec.gov. Copies of the documents filed with the SEC by the Company will be available free of charge on the Company's website at http://www.analog.com or by contacting

the Company's Investor Relations Department by email at investor.relations@analog.com or by phone at 781-461-3282. Copies of the documents filed with the SEC by Maxim will be available free of charge on Maxim's website at *investor.maximintegrated.com* or by contacting Maxim's Investor Relations department by phone at 408-601-5697.

Participants in the Solicitation

The Company, Maxim and certain of their respective directors and executive officers may be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of proxies in respect of the proposed transaction. Information about the directors and executive officers of the Company, including a description of their direct or indirect interests, by security holdings or otherwise, is set forth in the Company's proxy statement for its 2020 annual meeting of shareholders, which was filed with the SEC on January 24, 2020, and the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended November 2, 2019, which was filed with the SEC on November 26, 2019. Information about the directors and executive officers of Maxim, including a description of their direct or indirect interests, by security holdings or otherwise, is set forth in Maxim's proxy statement for its 2019 annual meeting of shareholders, which was filed with the SEC on September 27, 2019, and Maxim's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended June 29, 2019, which was filed with the SEC on August 21, 2019. Other information regarding the participants in the proxy solicitations and a description of their direct and indirect interests, by security holdings or otherwise, will be contained in the joint proxy statement/prospectus and other relevant materials to be filed with the SEC regarding the proposed transaction when such materials become available. Investors should read the joint proxy statement/prospectus carefully when it becomes available before making any voting or investment decisions. You may obtain free copies of these documents from the Company or Maximusing the sources indicated above.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit Description of Document

- 2.1 Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of July 12, 2020, by and among Analog Devices, Inc., Maxim Integrated Products, Inc. and Magneto Corp. †
- 104 Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)
- † Schedules have been omitted pursuant to Item 6.01(b)(2) of Regulation S-K. The registrant hereby undertakes to furnish supplementally copies of any of the omitted schedules upon request by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission.

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.

Date: July 15, 2020 ANALOG DEVICES, INC.

By: /s/ Margaret K. Seif
Name: Margaret K. Seif
Title: Chief People Officer and SVP of Communications