

ALTIGEN COMMUNICATIONS INC

Form SC 13D/A

February 04, 2011

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549  
SCHEDULE 13D  
(Amendment No. 8)\*  
Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

AltiGen Communications, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

021489109

(CUSIP Number)

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Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

February 4, 2011

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of Section 240.13d-1(e), 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g), check the following box. [ ]

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1. Names of Reporting Persons.

Wanger Investment Management, Inc.

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions):

(a)

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- (b) X
3. SEC Use Only:
  4. Source of Funds (See Instructions): AF
  5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e):
  6. Citizenship or Place of Organization: Illinois
  7. Sole Voting Power: 0
  8. Shared Voting Power: 867,108
  9. Sole Dispositive Power: 0
  10. Shared Dispositive Power: 867,108
  11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person: 867,108
  12. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions):
  13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11): 5.257%
  14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions): IA CO

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1. Names of Reporting Persons.  
Wanger Long Term Opportunity Fund II, LP
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)  
(a)  
(b) X
3. SEC Use Only
4. Source of Funds (See Instructions): WC
5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e):
6. Citizenship or Place of Organization: Delaware
7. Sole Voting Power: 0
8. Shared Voting Power: 867,108
9. Sole Dispositive Power: 0
10. Shared Dispositive Power: 867,108
11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person: 867,108
12. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions):
13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11): 5.257%
14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions): OO PN

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1. Names of Reporting Persons.  
WLTOF GP LLC
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions):  
(a)  
(b) X
3. SEC Use Only:
4. Source of Funds (See Instructions): AF
5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e):
6. Citizenship or Place of Organization: Delaware
7. Sole Voting Power: 0
8. Shared Voting Power: 867,108
9. Sole Dispositive Power: 0
10. Shared Dispositive Power: 867,108
11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person: 867,108
12. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions):
13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11): 5.257%
14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions): HC

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1. Names of Reporting Person.  
ERIC D. WANGER
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions):

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- (a)
- (b) X
- 3. SEC Use Only:
- 4. Source of Funds (See Instructions): PF
- 5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e):
- 6. Citizenship or Place of Organization: USA
- 7. Sole Voting Power: 0
- 8. Shared Voting Power: 867,108
- 9. Sole Dispositive Power: 0
- 10. Shared Dispositive Power: 867,108
- 11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person: 867,108
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- 13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11): 5.257%
- 14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions): IN

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Wanger Long Term Opportunity II, LP ("WLTOF"), Wanger Investment Management, Inc. ("WIM"), WLTOF GP LLC ("GP") and Eric D. Wanger ("Wanger") (collectively, the "Reporting Persons") filed a beneficial ownership report with respect to the common stock of AltiGen Communications, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Issuer"), on a Schedule 13D/A filed on December 12, 2008 and amended as of January 8, 2009, May 18, 2009, June 4, 2009, October 20, 2009 and January 11, 2011 (as amended, the "Existing Schedule 13D"). This Schedule 13D/A amends and restates the Existing Schedule 13D for the purpose of reporting a material change in the plans and intentions of the Reporting Persons.

ITEM 1. SECURITY AND ISSUER.

This statement relates to the common stock, \$0.001 par value per share (the "Common Stock") of the Issuer, whose principal executive offices are located at 410 East Plumeria Drive, San Jose, CA 95134.

ITEM 2. IDENTITY AND BACKGROUND.

This Schedule 13D is being filed jointly by WIM, WLTOF, GP and Wanger (collectively, the "Reporting Persons.")

- A. Wanger Investment Management, Inc.
  - (i) Name of Person Filing: Wanger Investment Management, Inc. ("WIM")
  - (ii) Organization: Delaware limited liability company
  - (iii) Principal Business: Investment management / registered investment advisor
  - (iv) Address of Principal Office: 401 North Michigan Avenue, Suite 1301  
Chicago, IL 60611
  - (v) Prior Criminal Convictions: None
  - (vi) Prior Civil Proceedings with Respect to Federal or State Securities Laws: None

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B. Wanger Long Term Opportunity Fund II, LP

- (i) Name of Person Filing: Wanger Long Term Opportunity Fund II, LP ("WLTOF")
- (ii) Organization: Delaware limited partnership
- (iii) Principal Business: Private investment fund
- (iv) Address of Principal Office: 401 North Michigan Avenue, Suite 1301  
Chicago, IL 60611
- (v) Prior Criminal Convictions: None

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(vi) Prior Civil Proceedings with  
Respect to Federal or State  
Securities Laws: None

C. WLTOF GP LLC

(i) Name of Person Filing: WLTOF GP LLC ("GP")

(ii) Organization: Delaware limited liability company

(iii) Principal Business: General partner of private investment fund

(iv) Address of Principal Office: 401 North Michigan Avenue, Suite 1301  
Chicago, IL 60611

(v) Prior Criminal Convictions: None

(vi) Prior Civil Proceedings with  
Respect to Federal or State  
Securities Laws: None

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D. ERIC D. WANGER

(i) Name of Person Filing: Eric D. Wanger ("Wanger")

(ii) Residence or Business  
Address: 401 North Michigan Avenue, Suite 1301  
Chicago, IL 60611

(iii) Present Occupation: Investment management

(iv) Prior Criminal Convictions: None

(v) Prior Civil Proceedings with  
Respect to Federal or State  
Securities Laws: None

(vi) Citizenship: United States of America

ITEM 3. SOURCE AND AMOUNT OF FUNDS OR OTHER CONSIDERATION.

The shares of Common Stock reported in this Schedule 13D were purchased by WLTOF in the open market at then-prevailing market prices. WLTOF's funds used to acquire shares of Common Stock were drawn from its working capital.

ITEM 4. PURPOSE OF TRANSACTION

The acquisitions of shares of Common Stock by the Reporting Persons reported herein were effected for the purpose of investing in the Issuer. The Reporting Persons continue to review their investments in the Common Stock and, from time to time, depending upon certain factors, including without limitation, the financial performance of the Issuer, the availability and price of shares of Common Stock and other general and market conditions, may determine to acquire through open market purchases or otherwise additional shares of Common Stock or may dispose of all or a portion of the Common Stock now beneficially owned or hereafter acquired.

Except as stated above, none of the Reporting Persons has any plans or proposals of the types referred to in clauses (a) through (j) of Item 4 of Schedule 13D, as promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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### ITEM 5. INTEREST IN SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER.

(a) To the knowledge of the Reporting Persons, there were 16,494,758 shares of Common Stock outstanding as of December 9, 2010, based on the Issuer's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the period ending September 30, 2010. The Reporting Persons beneficially own 867,108 shares of Common Stock. Based upon the foregoing, the 867,108 shares reported herein as beneficially owned by the Reporting Persons constitute 5.257% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock. Such shares consist of 867,108 shares of Common Stock held of record by WLTOF.

(b) WLTOF has shared voting and dispositive power with respect to, and is the record owner of, 867,108 shares of Common Stock and accordingly is deemed to be the beneficial owner of such Common Stock for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Act.

WIM is a registered investment advisor and manages investment portfolios for clients, including WLTOF. In this capacity, WIM has shared voting and dispositive power over the Common Stock held by WLTOF and, accordingly, is deemed to be the beneficial owner of such Common Stock for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Act. Except for such deemed beneficial ownership, WIM does not own any Common Stock or other equity securities of the Issuer. WIM disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock reported hereunder.

GP is the general partner of WLTOF. In that capacity, GP has shared voting and dispositive power over the Common Stock held by WLTOF and, accordingly, is deemed to be the beneficial owner of 867,108 shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by WLTOF, for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Act. Except for such deemed beneficial ownership, GP does not own any Common Stock or other equity securities of the Issuer. GP disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock reported hereunder, except to the extent of its beneficial interest in WLTOF.

Wanger is the President of WIM and the managing member of GP. In those capacities, Wanger has shared voting and dispositive power over the Common Stock held by WLTOF and, accordingly, is deemed to be the beneficial owner of the 867,108 shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by WLTOF, for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Act. Wanger disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock reported hereunder, except to the extent of his beneficial ownership of WLTOF.

Except as set forth below, as of the date hereof, none of the Reporting Persons beneficially own any shares of Common Stock other than the shares beneficially owned by the Reporting Persons and reported herein.

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(c) The following transactions in shares of Common Stock which are deemed to be beneficially owned by the Reporting Persons occurred since January 11, 2011 in the public market:

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|-------|------------------|--|
| (i)   | January 12, 2011 | Sold 106,500 shares at \$0.85 per share  |
| (ii)  | January 13, 2011 | Sold 97,500 shares at \$0.85 per share   |
| (iii) | January 27, 2011 | Sold 50,000 shares at \$0.90 per share   |
| (iv)  | January 28, 2011 | Sold 21,500 shares at \$0.90 per share   |
| (v)   | January 31, 2011 | Sold 20,000 shares at \$0.90 per share   |
| (vi)  | February 3, 2011 | Sold 34,250 shares at \$1.0031 per share |

(d) No persons other than the Reporting Persons have the right to receive or to direct the power to receive dividends from, or the proceeds from the sale of shares of Common Stock owned by the Reporting Persons. Each of the Reporting Persons has the right to receive or to direct the power to receive dividends from, or the proceeds from the sale of shares of such Common Stock only to the extent of its beneficial interest in such shares of Common Stock.

(e) Not applicable.

### ITEM 6. CONTRACTS, ARRANGEMENTS, UNDERSTANDINGS OR RELATIONSHIPS WITH RESPECT TO SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER



