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: APRIL 5, 2004

Commission File Number: 0-15235

MITEK SYSTEMS, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE

87-0418827

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

14145 DANIELSON STREET, SUITE B
POWAY, CA 92064
(Address of principal executive offices)

(858) 513-4600

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

NOT APPLICABLE

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS AND REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

On April 5, 2004, Mitek Systems, Inc. issued a press release stating that a date has been set for a hearing with Nasdaq to review issues that relate to the Company's non-compliance with Nasdaq's minimum stockholders' equity requirements. The hearing, which will be conducted before a Nasdaq Listing Qualifications Panel, has been scheduled for April 22, 2004. As a result of the scheduled hearing, the automatic delisting of the Company's common stock from Nasdaq -- required under current exchange rules -- has been stayed pending the outcome of the hearing.

If the Company's common stock were delisted from the Nasdaq, trading would thereafter likely be reported on the "pink sheets" or the OTC Bulletin Board. Investments in securities traded on the pink sheets or the OTC Bulletin Board are generally considered to be subject to more risk than comparable investments in securities traded on one of the major national securities exchanges, such as the Nasdaq or the New York Stock Exchange.

In the event of delisting from the Nasdaq, the Company's common stock may be classified as a "penny stock" by the SEC and would become subject to rules adopted by the SEC regulating broker-dealer practices in connection with transactions in "penny stocks." Broker-dealers recommending a penny stock must, among other things, document the suitability of the investment for the specific customer, obtain a written agreement of the customer to purchase the penny stock, identify such broker-dealer's role, if any, as a market maker in the particular stock, and

provide information with respect to market prices of the common stock and the amount of compensation that the broker-dealer will earn in the proposed transaction. These disclosure requirements may have the effect of reducing the level of trading activity in the market for the Company's common stock. If the Company's common stock becomes subject to the penny stock rules, many broker-dealers may be unwilling to engage in transactions in the Company's securities because of the added disclosure requirements, thereby making it more difficult for holders of the Company's common stock to dispose of their shares. The ownership of penny stock is generally considered to subject the owner to greater risks than the ownership of common stock as a whole due, among other things, to the smaller trading volume in such stocks and to the substantial impact upon the stock's overall value which results from small stock price variations.

ITEM 7(c). EXHIBITS

99.1 Press release dated April 5, 2004.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

MITEK SYSTEMS, INC.

Date: April 5, 2004 By: /s/ John M. Thornton

John M. Thornton

Chairman of the Board of Directors and

Chief Financial Officer

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DESCRIPTION NUMBER

PRESS RELEASE DATED APRIL 5, 2004. 99.1

Mitek Systems' Delisting From Nasdaq Delayed, Pending Outcome of April 22, 2004 Hearing

POWAY, Calif., April 5 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Mitek Systems, Inc. (Nasdaq: MITK), today announced that a date has been set for a hearing with Nasdaq to review issues that relate to the Company's non-compliance with Nasdaq's minimum stockholders' equity requirements. The hearing, which will be conducted before a Nasdaq Listing Qualifications Panel, has been scheduled for April 22, 2004. As a result of the scheduled hearing, the automatic delisting of the Company's common stock from Nasdaq -- required under current exchange rules -- has been stayed pending the outcome of the hearing.

About Mitek Systems

Mitek Systems is a premier provider of check fraud protection solutions and check imaging software for the banking industry, and an established global supplier of embedded software recognition engines. Mitek develops recognition technology using advanced neural networking techniques and deploys this expertise in fraud prevention, check, financial document and forms processing applications. These applications automatically process over 8 billion documents per year for a variety of OEMs, reseller partners and end users. For more information about Mitek Systems, contact the company at 14145 Danielson Street, Suite B, Poway, CA 92064; 858-513-4600 or visit www.miteksys.com.

Forward-Looking Statement Disclosure

With the exception of historical matters, the matters discussed in this news release are forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainty. Forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, statements relating to the listing of the Company's stock on Nasdaq. The Company's actual results could differ from such forward-looking statements. There can be no assurance that the Company will achieve the results set forth herein. Mitek and Mitek Systems are registered trademarks of Mitek Systems, Inc. All other product or company names may be trademarks or registered trademarks of their respective holders.

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