

ABB LTD  
Form 6-K  
April 06, 2007

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**Form 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16  
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the month of April 2007  
Commission File Number 001-16429

**ABB Ltd**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

**P.O. Box 1831, Affolternstrasse 44, CH-8050, Zurich, Switzerland**

(Address of principal executive office)

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

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82- .

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This Form 6-K consists of the following:

1. Notification issued by ABB Ltd dated April 3, 2007.

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Zurich, Switzerland, April 3, 2007 ABB said today that as of March 31, 2007 a total of CHF 788,705,000 or approximately 79 per cent of its 2010 Swiss franc convertible bonds have been converted by bondholders into ABB shares. As a consequence, ABB has delivered approximately 82 million shares out of its contingent capital during March 2007. These shares are entitled to 2006 dividends.

ABB (www.abb.com) is a leader in power and automation technologies that enable utility and industry customers to improve performance while lowering environmental impact. The ABB Group of companies operates in around 100 countries and employs about 108,000 people.

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

**ABB LTD**

Date: April 6, 2007

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Group Vice President and Senior Counsel

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