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## **UNITED STATES** SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 **FORM 15**

CERTIFICATION AND NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF REGISTRATION UNDER SECTION 12(g) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 OR SUSPENSION OF DUTY TO FILE REPORTS UNDER SECTIONS 13 AND 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934.

## **Commission File Number 1-7616** PIONEER KABUSHIKI KAISHA

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

4-1, MEGURO 1-CHOME, MEGURO-KU, TOKYO 153-8654, JAPAN Tel: +81-3-3495-4926

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant s principal executive offices) **Common Stock** 

(Title of each class of securities covered by this Form)

## None

(Titles of all other classes of securities for which a duty to file reports under section 13(a) or 15(d) remains) Please place an X in the box(es) to designate the appropriate rule provision(s) relied upon to terminate or suspend the duty to file reports:

Rule	O	Rule	o
12g-4(a)(1)(i)		12h-3(b)(1)(i)	
Rule	0	Rule	o
12g-4(a)(1)(ii)		12h-3(b)(1)(ii)	
Rule	X	Rule	X
12g-4(a)(2)(i)		12h-3(b)(2)(i)	
Rule	O	Rule	o
12g-4(a)(2)(ii)		12h-3(b)(2)(ii)	
		Rule 15d-6	0

Approximate number of holders of record as of the certification or notice date: 143

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Pioneer Kabushiki Kaisha has caused this certification/notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

Date: December 18, 2006 By: /s/ Tamihiko Sudo Tamihiko Sudo

Chief Executive Officer