

KERR MCGEE CORP /DE
Form 8-K
February 02, 2006

UNITED STATES
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

February 2, 2006 - February 1, 2006
(Date of Report - Date of earliest event reported)

KERR-McGEE CORPORATION
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State of Incorporation)	1-16619 (Commission File Number)	73-1612389 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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123 Robert S. Kerr Avenue Oklahoma City, Oklahoma (Address of principal executive offices)	73102 (Zip Code)
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(405) 270-1313
(Registrant's telephone number)

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oPre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors;
Appointment of Principal Officers

Michael Portillo was elected to the Company's Board of Directors effective February 1, 2006. It is expected that Mr. Portillo will be appointed to the Company's Executive Compensation Committee.

A copy of the press release announcing Mr. Portillo's election is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated February 1, 2006

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.

KERR-MCGEE CORPORATION

By: (John M. Rauh)
John M. Rauh
Vice President and Controller

Dated: February 2, 2006