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PIER 1 IMPORTS INC/DE Form 8-K March 20, 2006

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) March 20, 2006		
PIER 1 IMPORTS, INC.		
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)		
Delaware	1-7832	75-1729843
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	(Commission File Number)	
100 Pier 1 Place, Fort Worth, Texas 76102		
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)		
817-252-8000		
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)		
Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:		
[] Written communications pursuan CFR 230.425)	t to Rule 425 under t	he Securities Act (17

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[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the

[] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17

Item 8.01 Other Events

CFR 240.14a-12)

Exchange Act (17 CFR 240-.14d-2(b))

In a press release issued on March 20, 2006, Pier 1 Imports, Inc. announced

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that it has sold its subsidiary, The Pier Retail Group Limited, to Palli Limited for approximately \$15 million. Palli Limited is a wholly owned subsidiary of Lagerinn ehf, an Iceland corporation owned by Jakup a Dul Jacobsen. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, is incorporated herein by reference, and is hereby filed.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release dated March 20, 2006 issued by Pier 1 Imports,

Inc.

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.

PIER 1 IMPORTS, INC.

Date: March 20, 2006 By: /s/ Michael A. Carter

Michael A. Carter, Senior Vice President

and General Counsel, Secretary

EXHIBIT INDEX

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