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COCA COLA ENTERPRISES INC Form 8-K December 01, 2005

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): December 1, 2005

COCA-COLA ENTERPRISES INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

01-09300 (Commission File No.)

58-0503352

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

2500 Windy Ridge Parkway, Atlanta, Georgia 30339 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(770) 989-3000

(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:

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- o Precommencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Precommencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

<u>Item 5.02.</u> <u>Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.</u>

On December 1, 2005, the Company announced that President and Chief Executive Officer John R. Alm is leaving the company effective January 1, 2006. Lowry F. Kline, chairman, board of directors, will serve as interim CEO until a successor is selected. The press release is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit 99

Press Release dated December 1, 2005.

SIGNATURE

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.

COCA-COLA ENTERPRISES INC.

(Registrant)

Date: December 1, 2005 By: <u>/S/ JOHN J. CULHANE</u>

John J. Culhane

Executive Vice President and General Counsel

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

99 Press Release dated December 1, 2005.