

HERCULES INC
Form 8-K
October 12, 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): **October 11, 2005**

Hercules Incorporated

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

001-00496
(Commission File Number)

51-0023450
(IRS Employer Identification Number)

Hercules Plaza

1313 North Market Street

Wilmington, Delaware 19894-0001

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(302) 594-5000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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Item **DEPARTURE OF DIRECTORS OR PRINCIPAL OFFICERS; ELECTION OF DIRECTORS;**
5.02(b) **APPOINTMENT OF PRINCIPAL OFFICERS**

On October 11, 2005, Dr. John Televantos resigned as President of Hercules Aqualon Division. His resignation from Hercules Incorporated will be effective October 31, 2005. A global search (including internal and external candidates) will be conducted for a new President of the Aqualon Division. An announcement will be made soon regarding leadership of the Aqualon Division during the time the search is under way.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

DATE: October 12, 2005

By: HERCULES INCORPORATED

/s/ Craig A. Rogerson
Craig A. Rogerson
President and Chief Executive Officer