

LITHIA MOTORS INC  
Form 8-K  
June 07, 2006

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**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): June 6, 2006

**Lithia Motors, Inc.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Oregon  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

0-21789  
(Commission File Number)

93 - 0572810  
(IRS Employer Identification  
No.)

360 E. Jackson Street  
Medford, Oregon 97501  
(Address of Principal Executive Office)

Registrant's telephone number including area code 541-776-6868

Not applicable  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e -4(c))
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**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On June 6,, 2006, Lithia Motors, Inc. issued a press release announcing the acquisition of TradeMark Chrysler Jeep Dodge in Bryan - College Station, Texas. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

