

VERITAS DGC INC
Form 8-K
June 27, 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): **June 27, 2005**

Veritas DGC Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-7427
(Commission File Number)

76-0343152
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

**10300 Town Park
Houston, Texas**
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

77072
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(832) 351-8300**

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Item 5.01 **Departure of Directors of Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.**

Effective on June 27, 2005, our Board of Directors elected Yoram Shoham, age 61, to fill a newly-created vacancy on the Board of Directors. Mr. Shoham is currently an oil and gas industry consultant. From 1983 until 2004, Mr. Shoham was employed by Shell Oil Company and Royal Dutch Shell and their affiliated companies in a variety of progressively more responsible positions, the most recent of which was vice president external technology relations and consultant to Shell International Exploration & Production, Inc.

The Board of Directors also appointed Mr. Shoham to serve on its newly created Innovation and Technology Committee, along with directors Thierry Pilenko (who is also the Company's chairman and chief executive officer) and Terence K. Young.

Item 9.01 **Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibit

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press release dated June 27, 2005

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.

VERITAS DGC INC.

Date: June 27, 2005

By:	/s/ LARRY WORDEN
Name:	Larry Worden
Title:	Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

EXHIBIT INDEX

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