

SEARS HOLDINGS CORP  
Form 8-K  
March 15, 2006

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**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): **March 13, 2006**

**SEARS HOLDINGS CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**000-51217**  
(Commission File Number)

**20-1920798**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**3333 Beverly Road**  
**Hoffman Estates, Illinois**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**60179**  
(Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(847) 286-2500**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report): **Not Applicable**

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### Section 2 - Financial Information

#### Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On March 15, 2006, the Registrant issued a press release regarding its fourth quarter and fiscal year 2005 earnings. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

### Section 5 - Corporate Governance and Management

#### Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers

On March 13, 2006, in connection with consideration by the Nominating and Governance Committee of the Registrant's Board of Directors of its recommendations for nominees for election as directors at the Registrant's annual meeting of stockholders scheduled to be held on April 12, 2006 (the Annual Meeting), Julian C. Day and Michael A. Miles advised the Registrant of their decision not to stand for re-election to the Registrant's Board of Directors at the Annual Meeting.

Messrs. Day and Miles have indicated their intention to continue to serve as directors until the Annual Meeting.

### Section 7 - Regulation FD

#### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On March 15, 2006, the Chairman of the Registrant issued a letter to shareholders. The letter will be available on the Registrant's website, [www.searsholdings.com](http://www.searsholdings.com), and is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2.

### Section 9 - Financial Statements and Exhibits

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

##### (c) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Press release dated March 15, 2006, furnished pursuant to Item 2.02.

Exhibit 99.2 Letter from the Chairman dated March 15, 2006, furnished pursuant to Item 7.01.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

SEARS HOLDINGS CORPORATION

By: /s/William K. Phelan  
William K. Phelan  
Vice President and Controller

Date: March 15, 2006

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- 99.1 Press release dated March 15, 2006.
- 99.2 Letter from the Chairman dated March 15, 2006.