PORTFOLIO RECOVERY ASSOCIATES INC Form 8-K April 18, 2006

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):

Portfolio Recovery Associates, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

000-50058

(Commission

File Number)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

120 Corporate Boulevard, Norfolk, Virginia

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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:

[] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

[] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

75-3078675

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

23502

(Zip Code)

888-772-7326

April 14, 2006

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This Form 8-K is being filed to enhance and clarify the Summary Compensation Table which was filed with the Securities Exchange Commission on April 14, 2006 on page 33 of our Definitive Form 14A. Specifically, tabular headnotes were added to provide clarification of long term compensation values. All other information in the proxy statement remains unchanged.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(a) Financial statements: None.

(b) Pro forma financial information: None.

(c) Exhibits

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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.

Portfolio Recovery Associates, Inc.

April 18, 2006

By: /s/ Kevin P. Stevenson

Name: Kevin P. Stevenson Title: EVP/CFO

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Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Summary Compensation Table of Portfolio Recovery Associates, Inc. as filed in Proxy and adjusted for column headings.