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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-A FOR REGISTRATION OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(b) OR 12(g) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 USG CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware 36-3329400 (State of Incorporation or Organization) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) 125 South Franklin Street, Chicago, Illinois 60606-4678 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code) If this form relates to the registration of a class of If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act securities pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(c), and is effective Pursuant to General Instruction A.(d), please check the following box. b please check the following box. o Securities Act registration statement file number to which this form relates: (If applicable) Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act: Title of Each Class Name of Each Exchange on Which to be so Registered Each Class is to be Registered Preferred Stock Purchase Rights New York Stock Exchange Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act: N/A (Title of class)

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On January 29, 2006, the Board of Directors of USG Corporation (the Company) declared a dividend distribution of one right (a Right) for each share of common stock, par value \$0.10 per share (the Common Shares), of the Company outstanding at the close of business on February 9, 2006 (the Record Date), pursuant to the terms of the USG Corporation Reorganization Rights Plan, dated as of January 30, 2006 (the Plan). The Plan also provides, subject to specified exceptions and limitations, that Common Shares issued or delivered from the Company s treasury after the Record Date will be entitled to and accompanied by Rights. The Rights are in all respects subject to and governed by the provisions of the Plan, a copy of which is filed as Exhibit 4.1 hereto and incorporated herein by this reference.

Item 2. Exhibits.

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4.1 USG Corporation Reorganization Rights Plan, dated as of January 30, 2006

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Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereto duly authorized.

USG CORPORATION

By: /s/ Stanley L. Ferguson Name: Stanley L. Ferguson

Title: Executive Vice President and General

Counsel

Date: January 30, 2006

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