

EXELON CORP  
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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20549**

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**April 1, 2005**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

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| Commission File Number | Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter; State of Incorporation; Address of Principal Executive Offices; and Telephone Number                            | IRS Employer Identification Number |
| 1-16169                | <b>EXELON CORPORATION</b><br>(a Pennsylvania corporation)<br>10 South Dearborn Street 37th Floor<br>P.O. Box 805379<br>Chicago, Illinois 60680-5379<br>(312) 394-7398 | 23-2990190                         |

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In a report filed on March 8, 2005, Exelon Corporation (Exelon) announced that on March 7, 2005 it had entered into a \$2 billion term loan agreement, the proceeds from which were intended to finance a pension funding announced in 2004. On March 10, 2005, Exelon borrowed \$1.2 billion under the term loan agreement and on March 30, 2005 borrowed an additional \$800 million. These funds were immediately contributed to Exelon's defined benefit pension plans on the same day as the borrowings.

On April 1, 2005, Exelon entered into a \$500 million term loan agreement with Dresdner Bank AG. On April 4, 2005, Exelon borrowed \$500 million under the term loan agreement, the proceeds from which were used to pay down amounts borrowed under the \$2 billion term loan agreement described above. The loan carries interest at a variable rate determined, at Exelon's option, by either the Base Rate or the Eurodollar Rate (as defined in the term loan agreement). The loan is due in full on December 1, 2005. Exelon expects to repay the amount outstanding primarily with the proceeds from long-term debt financing that Exelon expects will be issued later this year.

The term loan agreement is attached to this report as Exhibit 99.

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Except for the historical information contained herein, certain of the matters discussed in this Report are forward-looking statements, within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, that are subject to risks and uncertainties. The factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from the forward-looking statements made by a registrant include those factors discussed herein, as well as the items discussed in (a) the Registrants' 2004 Annual Report on Form 10-K ITEM 7. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations Business Outlook and the Challenges in Managing Our Business for each of Exelon, Commonwealth Edison Company (ComEd), PECO Energy Company (PECO) and Exelon Generation Company, LLC (Generation), (b) the Registrants' 2004 Annual Report on Form 10-K ITEM 8. Financial Statements and Supplementary Data: Exelon Note 20, ComEd Note 15, PECO Note 14 and Generation Note 16 and (c) other factors discussed in filings with the SEC by the Registrants. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which apply only as of the date of this Report. None of the Registrants undertakes any obligation to publicly release any revision to its forward-looking statements to reflect events or circumstances after the date of this Report.

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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.

EXELON CORPORATION

/s/ J. Barry Mitchell

J. Barry Mitchell  
Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer  
and Treasurer

April 4, 2005