

ERIE INDEMNITY CO  
Form 8-K  
April 18, 2006

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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):

April 18, 2006

Erie Indemnity Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania

0-24000

25-0466020

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

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

100 Erie Insurance Place, Erie, Pennsylvania

16530

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(814)870-2000

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

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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.**

On April 18, 2006, the shareholders of Erie Indemnity Company elected as directors the fourteen nominees recommended by the nominating committee at the annual meeting. Also, at the subsequent Board meeting, the Board re-elected the current executive management team of the Erie Insurance Group. The individuals elected are detailed in the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

99.1 Press release

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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.

Erie Indemnity Company

*April 18, 2006*

By: *Jeffrey A. Ludrof*

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*Name: Jeffrey A. Ludrof  
Title: President & CEO*

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| <b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b> | <b><u>Description</u></b> |
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| 99.1                      | Press release             |