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Section 5 - Corporate Governance and Management

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

(1) 5.02(b)

Cambrex Corporation is reporting under Item 5.02(b) that on September 26, 2005, N. David Eansor, President, Cambrex Bioproducts, resigned to pursue other interests. On September 30, 2005, Cambrex Corporation issued a press release announcing Mr. Eansor's resignation.

(2) 5.02(c)

Cambrex Corporation is reporting under Item 5.02(c) that effective September 30, 2005, Cambrex appointed Shawn P. Cavanaugh, Senior Vice President and General Manager, Cambrex Bioproducts to replace N. David Eansor. On September 30, 2005, Cambrex Corporation issued a press release announcing the appointment of Mr. Cavanaugh.

Mr. Cavanaugh joined Cambrex in October 1999 with the acquisition of FMC BioProducts. Thereafter, Mr. Cavanaugh held various positions with Cambrex subsidiaries. In 2000, he was promoted to the position of Global Director, Endotoxin Detection and in 2004 to the position of Vice President, Cambrex Bioproducts. Prior to joining Cambrex, Mr. Cavanaugh held various Management and Engineering positions with FMC BioProducts and Eveready Battery Company from 1988 to 1999.

Item 9.01 - Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

(99.1) Press release issued by Cambrex Corporation dated September 30, 2005.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

CAMBREX CORPORATION

Date: September 30, 2005  
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By: /s/ Peter E. Thauer  
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Name: Peter E. Thauer  
Title: Senior Vice President, General  
Counsel and Corporate Secretary

Exhibit 99.1 Cambrex Corporation Press release dated September 30, 2005.