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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. 9) *
EXIT FILING

THE MILLS CORPORATION

(Name of Issuer)

COMMON

(Title of Class of Securities)

601148109

(CUSIP Number)

Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement

August 31, 2006

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which the Schedule is filed:

- [x] Rule 13d-1(b)
- [] Rule 13d-1(c)
- [] Rule 13d-1(d)
- * The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in prior coverage.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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CUSIP 1	No. 6011481	09					
1		PORTING PERSON R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON					
	Cohen & Steers, Inc. 14-1904657						
2	CHECK THE	APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*		[] [x]			
3	SEC USE ON	ILY					
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION New York						
NUMBER OF SHARES		5 SOLE VOTING POWER 1,708,243					
IWO	FICIALLY NED BY EACH	6 SHARED VOTING POWER 0					
PI	PORTING PERSON WITH	7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 2,305,212					
		8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 0					
9		AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING	PERS	ON			
	2,305,212 						
10	CHECK BOX	IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES	CERT	AIN SHARES*			
11	PERCENT OF	CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)					
	4.1%						
12	TYPE OF RE	PORTING PERSON*					
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		*SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT					
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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

CUSIP No. 601148109

	S.S. OR I	.R.S.	IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON
	Cohen & St	teers	Capital Management, Inc. 13-3353336
2	2 CHECK THE	APPRO	PRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) [] (b) [x]
 3	3 SEC USE OI	NLY	
 4	4 CITIZENSH	IP OR 1	PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
	New York		
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	4.1%		
12	2 TYPE OF RI	EPORTI	NG PERSON*
	IA, CO		
		*	SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT
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CUSI	IP No. 601148	8109	
1)	NAME OF REPOR		PERSON NTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON (entities only)
	Houlihan Rove		
2)			ATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
			(a) [] (b) [x]

3)	SEC USE ONLY							
4)	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION Belgium							
	OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH	5)	SOLE VOTING POWER 0					
		6)	SHARED VOTING POWER 0					
		7)	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 800					
			SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 0					
9)	AGGREGATE AMO	BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON						
	0							
10)	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES []							
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12)	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON							
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Item 1.

- (a) Name of Issuer:
 THE MILLS CORPORATION
- (b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: 1300 WILSON BLVD SUITE 400 ARLINGTON, VA 22209

Item 2.

(a) Name of Persons Filing: Cohen & Steers, Inc.

Cohen & Steers Capital Management, Inc. Houlihan Rovers SA $\,$

(b) Address of Principal Business Office:

The principal address for Cohen & Steers Capital Management, Inc. is:

280 Park Avenue

10th Floor

New York, NY 10017

The principal address for Houlihan Rovers SA is: Chausee de la Hulpe 116, 1170 Brussels, Belgium

(c) Citizenship:

Cohen & Steers, Inc: Delaware Corporations Cohen & Steers Capital Management, Inc: New York Corporation Houlihan Rovers SA: Belgium

(d) Title of Class Securities:

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- (e) CUSIP Number: 601148109
- Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b), or 13d-2(b), check whether the person filing is a
 - a) [] Broker or Dealer registered under Section 15 of the Act
 - (b) [] Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the Act
 - (c) [] Insurance Company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act
 - (d) [] Investment Company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act
 - (e) [x] An investment advisor in accordance with Section 240.13d-1 (b) (1) (ii) (E)

 - (g) [x] A parent holding company or control person in accordance with Section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G)
 - (h) [] A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813)
 - (i) [] A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15U.S.C. 80a-3)
 - (j) [] Group, in accordance with Section 240.13d-1(b)(l)(ii)(J)

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Item 4. OWNERSHIP:

(a) Amount Beneficially Owned as of August 31, 2006:

See row 9 on cover sheet

(b) Percent of Class:

See row 11 on cover sheet

- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
 - (i) sole power to vote or direct the vote:
 See row 5 on cover sheet
 - (ii) shared power to vote or direct the vote:
 See row 6 on cover sheet
 - (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct
 the disposition of:
 See row 7 on cover sheet
 - (iv) shared power to dispose or direct
 the disposition of:
 See row 8 on cover sheet
- Item 5. OWNERSHIP OF 5% OR LESS OF A CLASS Filing Persons has ceased being beneficial owners of more than 5% of the filing class of securities.
- Item 6. OWNERSHIP OF MORE THAN 5% ON BEHALF OF ANOTHER PERSON $\ensuremath{\mathrm{N/A}}$
- Item 7. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSIDIARY WHICH ACQUIRED THE SECURITY BEING REPORTED ON BY THE PARENT HOLDING COMPANY

Cohen & Steers, Inc holds a 100% interest in Cohen & Steers Capital Management, Inc., and investment advisor registered under Section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act, and holds a 50% interest in Houlihan Rover SA, an investment advisor registered under Section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act.

Item 8. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF MEMBERS OF THE GROUP

Cohen & Steers, Inc holds a 100% interest in Cohen & Steers Capital Management, Inc., and investment advisor registerd under Section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act, and holds a 50% interest in Houlihan Rover SA, an investment advisor registered under Section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act.

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Item 9. NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF GROUP

N/A

Item 10. Certification

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired in the ordinary course of

business and were not acquired for the purpose of and do not have the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of such securities and were not acquired in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having such purposes or effect.

Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: September 8, 2006

Cohen & Steers, Inc.
Cohen & Steers Capital Management, Inc.
By:

/s/ Robert Steers

Signature

Robert H. Steers, Co-Chairman and Co-CEO Cohen & Steers Inc.
Cohen & Steers Capital Management, Inc.

Name and Title

Houlihan Rovers SA
By:

/s/ Joseph Houlihan

Signature

Joseph Houlihan, Managing Director Houlihan Rovers SA

Name and Title

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JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

In accordance with Rule 13d-1(k) promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the undersigned hereby agree to the joint filing with all other Reporting Persons (as such term is defined in the Schedule 13G referred to below) on behalf of each of them of a Statement on Schedule 13G including amendments thereto) with respect to the Common Shares of THE MILLS CORPORATION, and that this Agreement may be included as an Exhibit to such joint filing. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned hereby execute this Agreement as of September 8, 2006.

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Cohen & Steers, Inc.
Cohen & Steers Capital Management, Inc.
By:
/s/ Robert Steers
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   Signature
   Robert H. Steers, Co-Chairman and Co-CEO
   Cohen & Steers Inc.
   Cohen & Steers Capital Management, Inc.
   Name and Title
Houlihan Rovers SA
By:
/s/ Joseph Houlihan
   Signature
   Joseph Houlihan, Managing Director
   Houlihan Rovers SA
   Name and Title
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