ERIE INDEMNITY CO Form 8-K December 07, 2006

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): December 7, 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 nai	me or former address, if changed since l	ast report
Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing the following provisions:	ng is intended to simultaneously satisfy	the filing obligation of the registrant under any of
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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(b) On December 7, 2006, Erie Indemnity Company announced the retirement of Jan Van Gorder, senior executive vice president, secretary and general counsel of the Erie Insurance Group effective December 31, 2006. Jan Van Gorder will remain as acting secretary and general counsel for a period of time until a successor is named. See Exhibit 99.1 for the attached press release.

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release Text

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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

December 7, 2006 By: Philip A. Garcia

Name: Philip A. Garcia

Title: Executive Vice President and CFO

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Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press release text