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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) June 30, 2010

DENNY'S CORPORATION (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation or organization 0-18051 Commission File No. 13-3487402 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

203 East Main Street Spartanburg, South Carolina 29319-0001 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(864) 597-8000 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

Effective June 30, 2010, Nelson Marchioli, who had served as the Chief Executive Officer and President of Denny's Corporation (the "Company"), is no longer an employee or officer of the Company. As previously announced, Mr. Marchioli has been succeeded by Debra Smithart-Oglesby, the Company's Board Chair, who has been appointed Interim Chief Executive Officer.

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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.

Denny's Corporation

Date: July 6, 2010

/s/ F. Mark WolfingerF. Mark WolfingerExecutive Vice President,Chief Administrative OfficerandChief Financial Officer