

GENERAL CABLE CORP /DE/
Form 8-K
February 09, 2006

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

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 of 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported): February 7, 2006

General Cable Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

001-12983
(Commission File Number)

06-1398235
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

4 Tesseneer Drive, Highland Heights, Kentucky 41076-9753

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(859) 572-8000**

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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

Item 1.01

Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

Salary Adjustment for President and Chief Executive Officer

On February 7, 2006, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors approved an increase in the salary of Gregory B. Kenny, President and Chief Executive Officer, of \$40,000, which increases his salary to \$700,000, effective as of January 1, 2006.

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.

General Cable Corporation

February 9, 2006

By:

/s/ Robert J. Siverd

Name:

Robert J. Siverd

Title:

Executive Vice President and

General Counsel