



Information to be included in the report

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

On October 24, 2008, Technitrol announced the appointment of Howard C. Deck to the company's board of directors effective immediately for a term to expire in May 2011.

A copy of the press release announcing the appointment of Mr. Deck is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated October 24, 2008.

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**Signature(s)**

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.

Technitrol, Inc.

Date: October 24, 2008 By: /s/ Drew A. Moyer  
Drew A. Moyer  
Sr. Vice President and CFO