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: January 18, 2006

(Date of earliest event reported)

TECH DATA CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Florida (State of Incorporation)

0-14625 (Commission File Number)

59-1578329 (IRS employer Identification No.)

5350 Tech Data Drive

Clearwater, Florida, 33760

(Address of principal executive offices)

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727-539-7429

(Registrant s telephone number)

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Item 8.01. Other Events.

On January 18, 2006, Tech Data Corporation (the company) announced plans to expand its senior management team by splitting the executive roles of Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) and initiating a CEO search. Steven A. Raymund will remain as Chairman and Chief Executive Officer until the new CEO is appointed, at which time he will continue as Chairman of the Board. The press release announcing these changes is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 January 18, 2006 Press Release by Tech Data Corporation (The information provided in this Exhibit 99.1 is furnished and shall not be deemed filed .)

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

January 18, 2006

/s/ JEFFERY P. HOWELLS

Jeffery P. Howells Executive Vice President & Chief Financial Officer Tech Data Corporation