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): January 23, 2006

PolyOne Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Ohio

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 1-16091

(Commission File No.)

34-1730488

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

PolyOne Center, 33587 Walker Rd. Avon Lake, Ohio 44012

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (440) 930-1000

N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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o 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.

On January 23, 2006, PolyOne Corporation's Compensation and Governance Committee of the Board of Directors approved a one-time recognition award in the amount of \$50,000 each to the following executive officers who, together with the Chairman, President and CEO, have been responsible for executive and operating matters of the Company during the CEO-transition period: Wendy C. Shiba, Kenneth M. Smith, and W. David Wilson, in recognition of the additional duties and responsibilities assumed.

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.

Date: January 27, 2006

POLYONE CORPORATION

By <u>/s/ William F. Patient</u>

Name: William F. Patient Title: Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer