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OFFICE DEPOT INC Form 8-K July 31, 2006

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: July 31, 2006

Farliest Event Reported: July 4

Date of Earliest Event Reported: July 27, 2006 Commission file number 1-10948 OFFICE DEPOT, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 59-2663954

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

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

2200 Old Germantown Road, Delray Beach, Florida

33445

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(561) 438-4800

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)
Former name or former address, if changed since last report: N/A

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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Item 5.03 Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year

On July 27, 2006, the Board of Directors of Office Depot, Inc. (the Company) amended Article II, Section 9 of the Company s Bylaws to provide for a revised manner of election of directors of the Company. Subject to certain provisions contained in the amended Bylaws, each director to be elected by the stockholders shall be elected by a majority of the votes cast at any meeting held for the purpose of election of directors at which a quorum is present. This description is qualified in its entirety by reference to the text of the amended Article II, Section 9 attached as Exhibit.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Text of the Previous Bylaw (Article II, Section 9) and the Amended Bylaw (Article II, Section 9) of Office Depot, Inc.

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SIGNATURE

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.

OFFICE DEPOT, INC.

Date: July 31, 2006 By: /s/ DAVID C. FANNIN

David C. Fannin

Executive Vice President and General

Counsel

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