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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: June 15, 2006
Date of Earliest Event Reported: June 15, 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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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

5.04 Temporary Suspension of Trading Under Registrant s Employee Benefit Plan.

On June 30 2006, Office Depot, Inc. (the Company) will suspend trading of its common stock under the Office Depot, Inc. Common Stock Fund (the Stock Fund) under the Company s 401(k) Plan. After this time participants in the Stock Fund will not be able to make any transactions involving the Stock Fund, including exchanges, withdrawals, loan requests, and distributions. The suspension will begin June 30, 2006 at 1:00 p.m. eastern standard time and is expected to end during the week beginning July 16, 2006 (the Suspension Period).

The Stock Fund is being removed as an investment option under the Office Depot, Inc. Retirement Savings Plan (the Plan) to promote diversification in the Plan by keeping participants from having an undue concentration of the Company s common stock in their retirement plan. During the Suspension Period and for a period of two years thereafter, any interested person may obtain, without charge, the actual beginning and ending dates for which trading was suspended by contacting The Vanguard Group at the address below.

For more information regarding the Suspension Period or the liquidation process contact The Vanguard Group:

By (800) 523-1188

phone:

Online: <u>www.vanguard.com</u>

By mail: The Vanguard Group

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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: June 15, 2006 By: /s/ David C. Fannin

David C. Fannin

Executive Vice President and General

Counsel

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