Celanese CORP Form 8-K July 06, 2006

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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): <u>July 5, 2006</u> CELANESE CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE 001-32410 98-0420726

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

1601 West LBJ Freeway, Dallas, Texas 75234-6034

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (972) 443-4000

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report):

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

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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On July 5, 2006, Celanese Corporation (the Company) issued a press release announcing that the Company had declared a cash dividend of \$0.265625 on its 4.25% convertible perpetual preferred stock and a cash dividend of \$0.04 on its Series A common stock. Both cash dividends are for the period May 1, 2006 and ending on and including July 31, 2006 and are payable on August 1, 2006 to holders of record as of July 15, 2006. A copy of the press release is attached to this Current Report as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein solely for purposes of this Item 8.01. ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1 Press Release dated July 5, 2006

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

CELANESE CORPORATION

By: /s/ Steven M. Sterin

Name: Steven M. Sterin
Title: Vice President and

Controller

Date: July 5, 2006

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99.1 Press Release dated July 5, 2006