

NEW JERSEY RESOURCES CORP

Form 8-K

February 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): February 6, 2006  
NEW JERSEY RESOURCES CORPORATION  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**New Jersey**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**1-8359**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**22-2376465**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**1415 Wyckoff Road**  
**Wall, New Jersey**  
(Address of principal executive  
offices)

**07719**  
(Zip Code)

**(732) 938-1480**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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):

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**Section 2 Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

***Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition***

On February 6, 2006, the Registrant issued a press release regarding its first quarter fiscal 2006 results. The Registrant is filing this press release as Exhibit 99.

**Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

***Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits***

(a) (a) None.

(b) (b) None.

(c) (c) Exhibits:

Exhibit 99.01: Press Release dated February 6, 2006

**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 hereunto duly authorized.

NEW JERSEY RESOURCES  
CORPORATION

Date: February 6, 2006

By: /s/Glenn C. Lockwood

Glenn C. Lockwood  
Senior Vice President,  
Chief Financial Officer  
and Treasurer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

Exhibit	Description
99.01:	NEW JERSEY RESOURCES ANNOUNCES HIGHER FISCAL 2006 FIRST QUARTER EARNINGS; INCREASES SHARE REPURCHASE PLAN BY ONE MILLION SHARES; CONFIRMS PRIOR EARNINGS GUIDANCE
	NJR s first quarter 2006 earnings increase 14 percent over last year to \$1.24 per basic share
	Board approves 1 million share increase in share repurchase plan
	Earnings guidance for fiscal 2006 remains at \$2.75 to \$2.85 per basic share