

GREENBRIER COMPANIES INC

Form 8-K

May 06, 2009

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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 (Date of earliest event reported) April 30, 2009**

THE GREENBRIER COMPANIES, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)
Commission File No. 1-13146

Oregon
(State of Incorporation)

93-0816972
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

One Centerpointe Drive, Suite 200, Lake Oswego, OR
(Address of principal executive offices)

97035
(Zip Code)

(503) 684-7000

(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 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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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers;
Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.****(e) Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers**

Certain officers and employees of The Greenbrier Companies, Inc. (the Company) have surrendered for cancellation unvested shares of the Company's common stock that had been awarded under the Company's 2005 Stock Incentive Plan subject to performance-based vesting. The number of shares surrendered by the Company's named executive officers and the original grant date of those share awards are listed below:

Name	Number of Shares Surrendered for Cancellation	Effective Date of Cancellation of Shares	Date of Grant of Surrendered Shares
Robin D. Bisson	4,000	May 6, 2009	April 7, 2008
Alejandro Centurion	4,000	April 30, 2009	April 7, 2008
William A. Furman	100,000	April 30, 2009	January 8, 2008
Timothy A. Stuckey	4,000	April 30, 2009	April 7, 2008

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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.

THE GREENBRIER COMPANIES, INC.

Date: May 6 , 2009

By: /s/ Mark J. Rittenbaum
Mark J. Rittenbaum
Executive Vice President,
Treasurer and Chief Financial
Officer (Principal Financial
Officer)