RAYTHEON CO/
Form 8-K
December 14, 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 (date of earliest event repo	rted): December 8, 2006	
RAYTHEON COMPANY		
(Exact name of registrant as specified in it	s charter)	
Delaware	1-13699	95-1778500
(State of Incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer
		Identification Number)
870 Winter Street, Waltham, Massachuset	its 02451	
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (7	Zip Code)	
(781) 522-3000		
(Registrant s telephone number, including	g area code)	

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers	; Election of Directors;	Appointment of Principal	Officers; Compensatory
Arrangements of Certain Officers			

(e) Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers
Approval of Performance Metrics for the 2007 Results-Based Incentive Program
On December 8, 2006, the Management Development and Compensation Committee (the Committee) of the Board of Directors of Raytheon Company (the Company) approved the performance metrics for the Company s 2007 Results-Based Incentive Program (the 2007 RBI Program). The performance metrics, which are independent of each other and equally weighted, are as follows: bookings, net sales, operating profit, free cash flow and return on invested capital. These metrics and weightings are the same as for the Company s 2006 RBI Program. A summary of the Company s RBI Program is attached hereto as Exhibit 10.1 and incorporated herein by reference.
Approval of Performance Metrics for 2007 Long-Term Performance Plan
The Committee also provided preliminary guidance regarding the three-year performance metrics for the Company s 2007-2009 Long-Term Performance Plan (the 2007-2009 LTPP). The proposed three-year performance metrics for the 2007-2009 LTPP, which are independent of each other, and the proposed weighting for each of these metrics are as follows: free cash flow (50%), total shareholder return relative to the Company s peer group (25%), and return on invested capital (25%). These proposed metrics and weightings are the same as those adopted for the Company s 2006-2008 LTPP. A summary of the LTPP is attached hereto as Exhibit 10.2 and incorporated herein by reference.
Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits
(d) Exhibits
10.1 Summary of the Raytheon Company Results-Based Incentive Program.
10.2 Summary of the Raytheon Company Long-Term Performance Plan.

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.

RAYTHEON COMPANY

Date: December 14, 2006 By: <u>/s/ Jay B. Stephens</u>

Jay B. Stephens

Senior Vice President and General Counsel