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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)
December 20, 2007

CAPITAL GOLD CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 0-13078 13-3180530 (state or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 13-3180530 (I.R.S. Employer jurisdiction of File Number) (Identification No.)

76 Beaver Street, New York, 10005

NY

(Address of principal executive (Zip Code)

offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 344-2785

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

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Section 5 - Corporate Governance and Management

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

On December 20 2007, our executive officers were awarded cash bonuses and our executive officers and directors were granted stock options and restricted stock under our 2006 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). The specific cash bonuses and awards are set forth below. All of the stock options have a term of seven years and vest as follows: 20% vested upon issuance and the balance vest 20% annually thereafter. The exercise price of the stock options is \$0.63 per share (per the Plan, the closing price on the Toronto Stock Exchange on the trading day immediately prior to the day of determination converted to U.S. Dollars). The restricted shares granted vest equally over three years from the date of grant. In the event of a termination of continuous service (other than as a result of a change of control, as defined in the Plan, unvested stock options and unvested restricted stock grants shall terminate and, with regard to vested stock options, the exercise period shall be the lesser of the original expiration date or one year from the date continuous service terminates. Upon the happening of a change of control, all unvested stock options and unvested restricted stock grants immediately vest.

Name	Cash Bonus	Stock Options	Restricted Stock
Executive Officers			
Gifford Dieterle	\$ 75,000	500,000	250,000
John Brownlie	\$ 67,500	500,000	250,000
Jeff Pritchard	\$ 58,500	500,000	250,000
Christopher Chipman	\$ 52,500	500,000	250,000
Scott Hazlitt	\$ 40,500	350,000	75,000
Directors			
Ian Shaw		150,000	
Mark Nesbitt		150,000	
John Postle		150,000	
Roger Newell		100,000	
Robert Roningen		100,000	

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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.

CAPITAL GOLD CORPORATION

December 27, 2007 By: /s/ Christopher M. Chipman

Christopher M. Chipman, CFO