

OFFICEMAX INC  
Form 8-K  
January 06, 2005

**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:

**January 6, 2005  
December 31, 2004**

**OFFICEMAX INCORPORATED**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**1-5057**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**82-0100960**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**150 Pierce Road**  
**Itasca, Illinois**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**60143**  
(Zip Code)

**(630) 773-5000**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Not Applicable**

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

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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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**Item 1.01** **Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.**

Form of OfficeMax Incorporated Nonstatutory Stock Option Agreement

On December 31, 2004, the company granted stock options to its directors who participated in the company's Director Stock Compensation Plan (DSCP) during 2004. These options are exercisable on July 1, 2005, and will expire three years following the option holder's retirement, resignation, or termination as a director of the company.

This summary does not purport to be complete and is subject to and qualified in its entirety by reference to the text of the OfficeMax Incorporated Nonstatutory Stock Option Agreement, included as Exhibit 10.1 to this filing. Exhibit 10.1 is incorporated by reference into this Item 1.01.

**Item 5.02** **Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.**

Effective January 5, 2005, the following principal officer resigned from his position:

Gary J. Peterson, resigned as President-Retail.

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

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit 10.1 Form of OfficeMax Incorporated Nonstatutory Stock Option Agreement

SIGNATURE

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

OFFICEMAX INCORPORATED

By */s/ Matthew R. Broad*  
Matthew R. Broad  
Executive Vice President, General  
Counsel and Corporate Secretary

Date: January 6, 2005

EXHIBIT INDEX

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