

CULLEN FROST BANKERS INC  
Form 8-K  
August 10, 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): **August 8, 2005**

CULLEN/FROST BANKERS, INC.  
(Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter)

Texas  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

0-7275  
(Commission  
File Number)

74-1751768  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

100 West Houston Street, San Antonio, Texas  
(Address of principal executive offices)

78205  
(Zip Code)

(210) 220-4011  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

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(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 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers

On August 10, 2005, the Corporation issued a press release announcing the resignation of Mr. Preston M. Geren III from the Corporation's Board of Directors. Mr. Geren's resignation was effective as of August 8, 2005. The full text of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated into this item by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits:

99.1 Press release dated August 10, 2005.

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.

CULLEN/FROST BANKERS, INC.

By: /s/ Phillip D. Green

Phillip D. Green

Group Executive Vice President  
and Chief Financial Officer

Dated: August 10, 2005

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press release date August 10, 2005.