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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 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 26, 2006 Handleman Company

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter **Michigan**

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-7923 38-1242806

(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

500 Kirts Boulevard, Troy, Michigan

48084-4142

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

(248) 362-4400

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code) **Not applicable**

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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Today, August 31, 2006, Handleman Company (Handleman) announced that on August 26, 2006, it accepted the resignation of Mr. John Beeder from his appointment as Handleman s President and Chief Operating Officer. As a result, Handleman is filing the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Section 9. Financial Statements and Exhibits Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits (c) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release announcing the resignation of Mr. John Beeder

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

HANDLEMAN COMPANY

Date: August 31, 2006 By: /s/Thomas C. Braum, Jr.

Name: Thomas C. Braum, Jr.

Title: Executive Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

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