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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 2, 2006

CABOT CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

DELAWARE

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-5667	04-2271897
(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
TWO SEAPORT LANE, SUITE 1300,	
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS	02210-2019
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)	(Zip Code)

(617) 345-0100

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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

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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 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On August 2, 2006 Cabot Corporation issued a press release announcing its operating results for the fiscal quarter ended June 30, 2006. A copy of the press release, together with third quarter supplemental business information, is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (c) Exhibits.
- Press release issued by Cabot Corporation on August 2, 2006, together with Third Quarter Fiscal Year 2006 Supplemental Business Information

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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.

CABOT CORPORATION

By: /s/ James P. Kelly

Name: James P. Kelly Title: Controller

Date: August 2, 2006

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit

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99.1 Press release issued by Cabot Corporation on August 2, 2006, together with Third Quarter Fiscal Year 2006 Supplemental

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