

Celanese CORP  
Form 8-K  
March 13, 2006  
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): **March 10, 2006**

**CELANESE CORPORATION**

(Exact Name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

001-32410  
(Commission File  
Number)

98-0420726  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**1601 West LBJ Freeway, Dallas, Texas 75234-6034**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(972) 901-4500**

**Not Applicable**

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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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 8.01 OTHER EVENTS

On March 10, 2006, Celanese Corporation announced that its subsidiary, Celanese Europe Holding GmbH & Co. KG, has set the cash compensation in relation to the transfer of shares held by the minority shareholders of Celanese AG to Celanese Europe Holding at €62.22 per share. The cash compensation amount was based on an independent valuation.

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The requisite transfer resolution must be voted on by shareholders of Celanese AG. Celanese AG's board of management is expected to put the resolution on the agenda of the annual shareholders' meeting scheduled on May 30-31, 2006.

Celanese Corporation currently owns approximately 98% of the outstanding Celanese AG shares and approved initiating the squeeze-out of the remaining shares in November 2005.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press Release dated March 10, 2006*

\* Filed herewith.

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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.

**CELANESE CORPORATION**

By: /s/ Steven M. Sterin  
Name: Steven M. Sterin  
Title: Vice President and Controller

Date: March 10, 2006

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Exhibit Index

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