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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 8, 2006 (March 6, 2006)									
CHESAPEAKE ENERG	Y CORPORATIO	ON							
(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its Charter)									
Oklahoma (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	1-13726 (Commission File No.)	73-1395733 (IRS Employer Identification No.)							
6100 North Western Avenue, Oklahoma City, O (Address of principal executive offices)	)klahoma	<b>73118</b> (Zip Code)							
(405) 848-8000 (Registrant s telephone number, including area co	de)								
Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K the following provisions (see General Instruction A		satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of							
[_] Written communications pursuant to Ru [_] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a [_] Pre-commencement communications pur (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))	a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CF	FR 240.14a-12)							

[_] (17 CFR	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act 240.13e-4(c))

Section 8 Other E	Events
Item 8.01 Other Ev	ents.
	Chesapeake Energy Corporation issued a press release announcing that its Board of Directors has declared quarterly common dividends. A copy of the press release is attached as exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report.
Section 9 Financia	al Statements and Exhibits
Item 9.01 Financial	Statements and Exhibits
(c)	Exhibits
Exhibit No.	Document Description
99.1	Chesapeake Energy Corporation press release dated March 6, 2006
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#### **SIGNATURE**

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.

#### CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORPORATION

By: /s/ Aubrey K. McClendon Aubrey K. McClendon

Chairman of the Board and

Chief Executive Officer

Date: March 8, 2006

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#### **EXHIBIT INDEX**

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