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> 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): May 1, 2006

CELGENE CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	0-16132	22-2711928		
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)		

86 Morris	Avenue, S	Summit, 1	New	Jersey	079	01
(Address of	principal	execut	ive	offices)	(Zip	Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (908) 673-9000

(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):

- |_| Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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 Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- |_| Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange
 Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
- ITEM 5.03 AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OR BYLAWS: CHANGE IN FISCAL YEAR

Effective May 1, 2006, the Board of Directors of Celgene Corporation

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(the "Corporation") adopted an amendment to the Corporation's By-Laws to create the office of Executive Chairman of the Corporation, in lieu of Chairman of the Corporation, and to amend each reference to the "Chairman" thereafter to be a reference to the "Executive Chairman."

Attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit 3.2 is the Amendment to the By-Laws adopted by the Board of Directors effective May 1, 2006.

- ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS
 - (d) Exhibits
 - 3.2 Amendment to By-Laws Adopted by the Board of Directors Effective May 1, 2006

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.

CELGENE CORPORATION

Date: May 3, 2006

By: /s/ Robert J. Hugin Name: Robert J. Hugin Title: President and Chief Operating Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

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