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Brookdale Senior Living Inc.
Form 8-K
August 03, 2006

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) August 3, 2006 (August 2, 2006)

Brookdale Senior Living Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	001-32641	20-3068069
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(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)

330 North Wabash Avenue, Suite 1400, Chicago, Illinois	60611
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(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (312) 977-3700

(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))

Section 5 - Corporate Governance and Management

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.

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(a) Effective as of August 2, 2006, Bradley E. Cooper resigned from the board of directors of Brookdale Senior Living Inc. (the "Company"). Under the terms of the stockholders agreement between the Company, certain entities affiliated with Fortress Investment Group LLC, and Health Partners, Mr. Cooper, the director designated by Health Partners, was required to resign from the board in connection with the sale by Health Partners of 4,399,999 shares of the Company's common stock that closed on July 25, 2006.

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.

BROOKDALE SENIOR LIVING INC.
(Registrant)

/s/ Deborah C. Paskin

Deborah C. Paskin
Executive Vice President, General
Counsel and Secretary

Date: August 3, 2006