C H ROBINSON WORLDWIDE INC Form 8-K August 18, 2006

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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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): 08/17/2006

C. H. ROBINSON WORLDWIDE, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 000-23189

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 41-1883630 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

8100 Mitchell Road, Eden Prairie, MN 55344 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

952-937-8500

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

(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:

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Information to be included in the report

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

(b) On August 17, 2006, C. H. Robinson Worldwide, Inc. (the "Company") announced that its president and chief executive officer, John P. Wiehoff, age 44, has been elected chairman of its Board of Directors effective December 31, 2006. Current chairman D.R. "Sid" Verdoorn, age 67, is retiring from the Board at that time. A press release dated August 17, 2006, announcing Verdoorn's departure and Wiehoff's election as Chairman of the Board of Directors effective December 31, 2006, is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and is incorporated here in by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) The following exhibit is being filed with this report.99.1 Press Release, dated August 17, 2006, of C.H. Robinson Worldwide, Inc.

Signature(s)

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.

C. H. ROBINSON WORLDWIDE, INC.

Date: August 18, 2006

By: /s/ Chad Lindbloom

Chad Lindbloom VP, Chief Financial Officer

Exhibit Index

Exhibit No. Description

EX-99.1 Press Release dated August 17, 2006