TARGET CORP Form 8-K August 15, 2005

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 12, 2005

Target Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Minnesota (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-6049 (Commission File Number)

41-0215170 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

1000 Nicollet Mall, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55403

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(612) 304-6073

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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

On August 12, 2005 the Board of Directors elected Mary E. Minnick as a director of Target Corporation. Ms. Minnick is Executive Vice President and President of Marketing, Strategy and Innovation of The Coca-Cola Company. Ms. Minnick was also named to the Executive Committee and the Corporate Governance Committee of the Board, and has been designated as a Class II director. Her initial term will expire in 2008.

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

TARGET CORPORATION

Date: August 15, 2005

/s/ Timothy R. Baer Timothy R. Baer Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary