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

| FORM 8-K | | |
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| CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 | | |
| Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): | | |
| HNI Corporation (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter) | | |
| Iowa0-264842-0617510(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)(Commission File Number)(IRS Employer Identification No.) | | |
| 414 East Third Street, P.O. Box 1109, Muscatine, Iowa 52761-0071 (Address of Principal Executive Offices, Including Zip Code) | | |
| Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (563) 272-7400 | | |
| N/A (Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report) | | |

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| | propriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligations of under any of the following provisions (<i>see</i> General Instruction A.2.): |
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| Written | communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) |
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| | nmencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act R 240.14d-2(b)) |
| | nmencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act R 240.13e-4(c)) |
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| ITEM 8 | OTHER EVENTS |
| Item 8.01 | Other Events. |
| Lamex, a priv | 3, 2006, HNI Corporation issued a press release announcing the signing of an agreement to purchase vately held Chinese manufacturer and marketer of office furniture, the text of which is attached hereto as to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference. |
| ITEM 9 | FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS |
| Item 9.01 | Financial Statements and Exhibits. |
| The following | g exhibit relating to Item 8.01 is filed as part of this Current Report on Form 8-K. |
| Exhibit No. | <u>Description</u> |
| 99.1 | Text of press release dated January 13, 2006. |

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SIGNATURES

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.

HNI CORPORATION

Date: January 13, 2006 By /s/ Jerald K. Dittmer

Jerald K. Dittmer

Vice President and Chief Financial

Officer

Exhibit Index

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99.1 Text of press release dated January 13, 2006.