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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 10, 2007

SPRINT NEXTEL CORPORATION (Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Kansas 1-04721 48-0457967 (State of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2001 Edmund Halley Drive, Reston, Virginia 20191 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (703) 433-4000

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On May 10, 2007, Sprint Nextel Corporation (the "Company") announced senior leadership changes. A copy of the press release issued by the Company on May 10, 2007 is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibits are filed with this report:

Exhibit No. Description
----99.1 Press release dated May 10, 2007.

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.

SPRINT NEXTEL CORPORATION

Date: May 10, 2007 /s/ Richard A. Montfort

By: Richard A. Montfort

Assistant Secretary

EXHIBIT INDEX

Number Exhibit
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