

KEY ENERGY SERVICES INC
Form 8-K
January 10, 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): **January 10, 2006 (January 9, 2006)**

KEY ENERGY SERVICES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Maryland
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

1-8038
(Commission
File Number)

04-2648081
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

1301 McKinney Street, Suite 1800

Houston, Texas 77010

(Address of Principal Executive Offices and Zip Code)

713/651-4300

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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 - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers

The Board of Directors (the Board) of Key Energy Services, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the Company) has elected Mr. Daniel Dienstbier to the Board effective as of January 9, 2006. The election of Mr. Dienstbier to the Board filled the vacancy created by the resignation of Mr. Fran John in August 2004. Mr. Dienstbier was also appointed to the Executive Committee of the Board and the Corporate Governance and Nominating Committee of the Board. A copy of the press release announcing Mr. Dienstbier's election is attached as an exhibit to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release dated January 9, 2006 announcing the election of Mr. Daniel Dienstbier to the Board of Directors of Key Energy Services, Inc.

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.

KEY ENERGY SERVICES, INC.

Date: January 9, 2006

By: /s/ Newton W. Wilson, III
Newton W. Wilson, III
Senior Vice President, General Counsel and
Secretary

Exhibit Index

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press Release dated January 9, 2006 announcing the election of Mr. Daniel Dienstbier to the Board of Directors of Key Energy Services, Inc.