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

May 5, 2008

(Date of earliest event reported)

LABORATORY CORPORATION OF AMERICA HOLDINGS

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE 1-11353 13-3757370 ----------(Commission (State or Other (IRS Employer Jurisdiction of File Number) Identification Number) Incorporation) 358 SOUTH MAIN STREET BURLINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA 27215 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) 336-229-1127 -----(Registrant's telephone number, including area code) N/A (Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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ITEM 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers On April 30, 2008 - Laboratory Corporation of America(R) Holdings (LabCorp(R)) (NYSE: LH), announced that William B. Haas, Executive Vice President, Esoteric Business has decided to terminate his employment with the Company on May 31, 2008.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

LABORATORY CORPORATION OF AMERICA HOLDINGS
------(Registrant)

By:/s/ BRADFORD T. SMITH

Bradford T. Smith

Executive Vice President and Secretary

Date: May 5, 2008