AAR CORP Form 8-K August 25, 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

August 24, 2005

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

AAR CORP.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-6263 (Commission File Number)

36-2334820 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

One AAR Place, 1100 N. Wood Dale Road

Wood Dale, Illinois 60191

(Address and Zip Code of Principal Executive Offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (630) 227-2000

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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

AAR CORP. elected Michael R. Boyce to the Board of Directors of the Company effective August 2, 2005. Mr. Boyce is currently Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of PQ Corporation, an industrial chemicals company.

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.

Date: August 24, 2005

AAR CORP.

By: /s/ TIMOTHY J. ROMENESKO

Timothy J. Romenesko

Vice President-Chief Financial Officer &

Treasurer

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