

SIMON PROPERTY GROUP INC /DE/

Form 8-K

August 20, 2008

**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) August 18, 2008

**Simon Property Group, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**001-14469**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**04-6268599**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**225 W. Washington Street**

**Indianapolis, IN 46204**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **(317) 636-1600**

**Not Applicable**

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

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**ITEM 5.02 DEPARTURE OF DIRECTORS OR PRINCIPAL OFFICERS; ELECTION OF DIRECTORS; APPOINTMENT OF CERTAIN OFFICERS; COMPENSATORY ARRANGEMENTS OF CERTAIN OFFICERS.**

On August 18, 2008, Denise DeBartolo York and Fredrick W. Petri, members of the Board of Directors of Simon Property Group, Inc. (the Company), who had been elected directors by the holder of the Company's Class C common stock, advised the Company that they have resigned from the Company's Board of Directors effective immediately.

The resignations followed the conversion of the Class C common stock described in this report. Upon conversion, the holder of the Class C common stock relinquished its right to appoint two of the Company's directors.

The Company issued a press release on August 18, 2008 announcing the above changes in its Board of Directors. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and the information set forth therein is incorporated herein by reference.

**ITEM 7.01 REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE.**

On August 17, 2008, NID Corporation (formerly the Edward J. DeBartolo Corporation) converted all 4,000 outstanding shares of the Company's Class C common stock into an equal number of shares of the Company's common stock. Upon conversion, the Class C common stock was retired and cancelled and will not be reissued.

**ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**

(d) Exhibits

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release issued on August 18, 2008

**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 thereunto duly authorized.

Dated: August 20, 2008

SIMON PROPERTY GROUP, INC.

By: */s/ Stephen E. Sterrett*  
Stephen E. Sterrett  
Executive Vice President and Chief  
Financial Officer