

SUPERIOR INDUSTRIES INTERNATIONAL INC

Form 8-K

May 19, 2005

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

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**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 13, 2005

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**SUPERIOR INDUSTRIES INTERNATIONAL, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

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California  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

1-6615  
(Commission File Number)

95-2594729  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

7800 Woodley Avenue, Van Nuys, California  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

91406  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: (818) 781-4973

N/A  
(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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 (see General Instruction A.2 below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- 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.**

On May 13, 2005, Superior Industries International, Inc. (the company ) announced that Michael J. Joyce has been appointed to the company s Board of Directors, filling an existing vacancy. Most recently, Mr. Joyce was President and CEO of Optimal Wheel, a manufacturer of automotive wheel and non-wheel products with more than 1,000 employees in Mexico and the U.S.

The company s Board of Directors will decide on new committee assignments in the coming weeks in light of the appointment of Mr. Joyce to the company s Board of Directors.

The company issued a press release on May 13, 2005 regarding Mr. Joyce s appointment, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this current report.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

- 99.1 Press release dated May 13, 2005, issued by Superior Industries International, Inc. announcing the appointment of a new member of the company s Board of Directors.
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**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.

SUPERIOR INDUSTRIES INTERNATIONAL,  
INC.

(Registrant)

Date: May 19, 2005

/s/ R. Jeffrey Ornstein  
R. Jeffrey Ornstein  
Vice President and Chief Financial Officer