LACLEDE GROUP INC Form 8-K May 01, 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):

April 28, 2006

The Laclede Group, Inc.

720 Olive Street

St. Louis, Missouri 63101

314-342-0500

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(Registrant s telephone number including area code)

Missouri

1-16681

74-2976504

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

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

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

See Item 7.01

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

On April 28, 2006, the Company issued its earnings news release announcing its unaudited results for the quarter ended March 31, 2006. The text of that release is included in Exhibit 99.1 attached to this report.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press release of The Laclede Group, Inc. dated January 26, 2006.

The information contained in this report, including Exhibit 99.1, is being furnished and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission whether made before or after the date hereof and regardless of any general incorporation language in such filings.

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.

THE LACLEDE GROUP, INC.

Date: April 28, 2006

By: /s/ D. H. Yaeger D. H. Yaeger

Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer

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<u>Number</u>	Description
99.1	Press release of The Laclede Group, Inc. dated April 28, 2006.