STURM RUGER & CO INC Form 8-K August 14, 2006

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### 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 14, 2006 STURM, RUGER & COMPANY, INC. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

DELAWARE (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation **001-10435** (Commission File Number)

# 06-0633559 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

# ONE LACEY PLACE, SOUTHPORT, CONNECTICUT

**06890** (Zip Code)

(Address of Principal executive Offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (203) 259-7843

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):

o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

#### **Item 8.01 Other Events**

On August 14, 2006, the Company issued a press release regarding the appointment of Thomas P. Sullivan to be Vice President of Operations Newport, effective immediately. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

## Item 9.01 Financial statements and Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release of Sturm, Ruger & Company, Inc. dated August 14, 2006, regarding the appointment of Thomas P. Sullivan to be Vice President of Operations Newport.

#### 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.

#### STURM, RUGER & COMPANY, INC.

By: /S/ THOMAS A. DINEEN

Name: Thomas A. Dineen

Title: Principal Financial Officer, Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer

Dated: August 14, 2006

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