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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) April 5, 2007

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC CO., INC.

(EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)

INDIANA 0-362 35-0827455

(STATE OR OTHER (COMMISSION FILE (I.R.S. EMPLOYER JURISDICTION OF NUMBER) IDENTIFICATION NO.)
INCORPORATION OR ORGANIZATION)

400 EAST SPRING STREET 46714
BLUFFTON, INDIANA ----

(ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES) (ZIP CODE)

(260) 824-2900

(REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA CODE)

No Change

(FORMER NAME AND FORMER ADDRESS, IF CHANGED SINCE LAST REPORT)

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ITEM 5.02. DEPARTURE OF DIRECTORS OR CERTAIN OFFICERS; ELECTION OF

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DIRECTORS; APPOINTMENT OF CERTAIN OFFICERS; COMPENSATORY ARRANGEMENTS OF CERTAIN OFFICERS.

In accordance with the Corporate Governance Guidelines of Franklin Electric Co., Inc., (the "Company"), Diana S. Ferguson offered her resignation from the Company's Board of Directors because of a change in her primary employment. On April 5, 2007, the Board of Directors, acting upon the recommendation of the Corporate Governance Committee, accepted Ms. Ferguson's resignation, effective immediately. The Board of Directors also acted upon the recommendation of the Corporate Governance Committee to appoint David M. Wathen as a member of the Audit Committee to fill the vacancy created by Ms. Ferguson's resignation.

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.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC CO., INC. (Registrant)

Date: April 11, 2007 By /s/ Thomas J. Strupp

Thomas J. Strupp, Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Secretary (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)