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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): May 23, 2006

ITT INDUSTRIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Indiana 1-5627 13-5158950 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (I.R.S. Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

4 West Red Oak Lane White Plains, New York (Address of principal executive offices)

10604 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (914) 641-2000

Not Applicable

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

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ITEM 1.01 ENTRY INTO A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT

(a) As reported below in Item 5.02 of this Form 8-K, on May 18, 2006, Janice Klettner was appointed Chief Accounting Officer, effective May 18, 2006. The material terms of Ms. Klettner's employment with the Company are summarized in Exhibit 10.1 to this Form 8-K.

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ITEM 5.02 DEPARTURE OF DIRECTORS OR PRINCIPAL OFFICERS; ELECTION OF DIRECTORS; APPOINTMENT OF PRINCIPAL OFFICERS

On May 18, 2006, Janice Klettner, 45, formerly Avon Products' Vice President, Corporate Controller from 1998-2005, joined ITT Industries, Inc. as its Chief Accounting Officer. Ms. Klettner was employed by Avon Products in 1985 and prior to her position as Avon's Vice President, Corporate Controller, Ms. Klettner was Vice President, Enterprise Risk Management and held various other financial positions of increasing responsibility in accounting, financial planning, forecasting, treasury and process redesign at Avon Products.

In her position as Chief Accounting Officer, Ms. Klettner will receive an annual salary of \$275,000, a sign on payment of \$50,000 payable in a lump sum and will be eligible for a 2006 target bonus in accordance with the approved parameters of the Company's Annual Incentive Plan for performance year 2006 calculated at 40% of base salary. This discretionary bonus is based on company and individual performance.

Ms. Klettner will also be eligible to participate in the Company's Long Term Incentive Award Program for 2006. She was granted a total target long-term incentive award of \$325,000 for 2006 which is comprised as follows:

One-half in the form of a \$162,500 target award under the ITT Industries 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan (the "1997 Plan"). The measurement period for this long term award will be January 1, 2006 through December 31, 2008. Payment, if any, will be made in January, 2009. The ultimate value of this award will be determined based on ITT Industries' Total Shareholder Return (TSR) relative performance as measured against the S&P Industrials, in accordance with the terms of the 1997 Plan, administrative rules and award documents. One-fourth of the total award, 1,527 shares (\$81,250), will be in the form of ITT Industries' restricted stock awarded under the ITT Industries 2003 Equity Incentive Plan (the "2003 Plan"), granted May 19, 2006. These shares will be subject to a three-year period of restriction, subject to continued employment and the terms of the 2003 Plan.

One-fourth of the total award, 6,165 options (\$81,250), will be in the form of a non-qualified stock option award granted May 19, 2006 under the 2003 Plan. The option exercise price will be the closing price of ITT Industries common shares on the date of grant. These options will vest in one-third cumulative annual installments and will expire seven years from date of grant, subject to continued employment and terms of the 2003 Plan.

Finally, Ms. Klettner, as an at will employee, will be eligible to receive the other benefits typically afforded other executive officers of the Company.

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Mr. Robert J. Pagano, Jr., formerly Vice President and Corporate Controller, and Chief Accounting Officer, was appointed Vice President, Finance with responsibility for annual financial planning, financial forecasts and internal management reports.

A full summary of Ms. Klettner's employment terms with the Company is attached as Exhibit 10.1 to this Form 8-K, as is the Company's press release dated May 23, 2006.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

- (d) Exhibits
- 10.1 Terms of employment for Chief Accounting Officer.

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99.1 Press Release dated May 23, 2006

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SIGNATURE

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.

ITT INDUSTRIES, INC.

By: /s/ Kathleen S. Stolar

Kathleen S. Stolar

Its: Vice President, Secretary

and Associate General Counsel

Date: May 23, 2006

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