

OLIN CORP  
Form 8-K  
July 16, 2007

**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): July 16, 2007

**OLIN CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<b>Virginia</b> (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	<b>1-1070</b> (Commission File Number)	<b>13-1872319</b> (IRS Employer Identification No.)
	<b>190 Carondelet Plaza, Suite 1530</b> <b>Clayton, MO</b> (Address of principal executive offices)	<b>63105-3443</b> (Zip Code)
	<b>(314) 480-1400</b> (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)	

(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)  
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 Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference is a copy of the Registrant's press release dated July 16, 2007 announcing that the waiting period under the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, as amended, for the Registrant's acquisition of Pioneer Companies, Inc. has expired.

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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.

OLIN CORPORATION

By: /s/ George H. Pain  
Name: George H. Pain  
Title: Vice President, General  
Counsel and Secretary

Date: July 16, 2007

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**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description of Exhibit</b>
99.1	Press Release dated July 16, 2007.

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