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ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC  
Form 8-K  
January 31, 2007

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549  
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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)  
January 31, 2007

The Estee Lauder Companies Inc.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	1-14064 (Commission File Number)	11-2408943 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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767 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York (Address of principal executive offices)	10153 (Zip Code)
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code  
212-572-4200

Not Applicable  
(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):

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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ITEM 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On January 31, 2007, The Estee Lauder Companies Inc. (the "Company") issued a

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press release announcing its financial results for the fiscal quarter and six months ended December 31, 2006. The release includes the Company's estimates related to its fiscal 2007 third quarter and full year net sales and diluted net earnings per common share from continuing operations. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. -----	Description -----
99.1	Press release dated January 31, 2007 of The Estee Lauder Companies Inc.

### 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 ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC.

Date: January 31, 2007

By: /s/ RICHARD W. KUNES

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Richard W. Kunes  
Executive Vice President  
and Chief Financial Officer  
(Principal Financial and  
Accounting Officer)

THE ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC.

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