

CLOROX CO /DE/  
Form 8-K  
October 11, 2005

**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): **October 4, 2005**

**THE CLOROX COMPANY**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**

(State or other  
jurisdiction of  
incorporation or  
organization)

**1-07151**  
(Commission File  
Number)

**31-0595760**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**1221 Broadway, Oakland, California 94612-1888**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

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(510) 271-7000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

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- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 Under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - o 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 October 4, 2005, The Clorox Company (the Company) issued a press release in which it confirmed its financial outlook for the first fiscal quarter ending September 30, 2005. The press release also updated the Company's financial outlook for the second fiscal quarter ending December 31, 2005, and for the full fiscal year ending June 30, 2006. A copy of the press release is being furnished with this Report as Exhibit 99.1.

The information furnished in Item 2.02 of this Report and the accompanying exhibit shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act), and shall not be incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release, dated October 4, 2005, issued by the Company.

**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 CLOROX COMPANY

Date: October 11, 2005

By: /s/ Laura Stein  
Laura Stein  
Senior Vice President  
General Counsel & Secretary