TEXTRON INC Form 8-K April 25, 2006

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): April 21, 2006

TEXTRON INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State of Incorporation) I-5480 (Commission File Number.) 05-0315468 (IRS Employer Identification Number)

40 Westminster Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02903 (Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (401) 421-2800

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

Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

On April 21, 2006, Textron Inc. ("Textron") amended the 5-year senior unsecured revolving credit facility (the "Facility Agreement") with JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as administrative agent, and Citibank, N.A., as syndication agent, and other lenders. The amendment extended the maturity date from March 2010 to April 2011. Under the amended Facility Agreement, Textron will pay quarterly fees that will range from 5 basis points to 12.5 basis points, depending on Textron's ratings by S&P and Moody's. At Textron's current rating, the fees are 7 basis points. Under the amended Facility Agreement, Textron will also pay a utilization fee of 5 basis points on LIBOR borrowings if the aggregate amount outstanding exceeds 50% of the banks' total commitment under the Facility Agreement. The previous commitment extension language was amended to allow for no more than two one year Termination Date extensions and to modify the required notification period associated with the extension of the Termination Date. The aggregate amount of committed credit remained unchanged at \$1.25 billion.

A conformed copy of the amendment is attached hereto as Exhibit 10.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit

NumberDescription10.1Amendment No. 1, dated as of April 21, 2006, to 5-Year
Credit Agreement, dated as of March 28, 2005, among
Textron, the Banks listed therein, JPMorgan Chase Bank,
N.A., as Administrative Agent, and Citibank, N.A., as
Syndication Agent

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.

TEXTRON INC. (Registrant)

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/s/ Mary F. LovejoyBy: Mary F. LovejoyVice President and Treasurer

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