

WINN DIXIE STORES INC
Form 8-K
September 21, 2005

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 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)

September 16, 2005

WINN-DIXIE STORES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Florida
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)

1-3657
(Commission File Number)

59-0514290
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

5050 Edgewood Court, Jacksonville, Florida
(Address of principal executive offices)

32254-3699
(Zip Code)

(904) 783-5000

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Unchanged

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report)

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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 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

On September 16, 2005 the Company issued a press release providing an update on the impact of Hurricane Katrina.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits:

99.1 Press Release dated September 16, 2005 providing an update on the impact of Hurricane Katrina.

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.

Date: September 16, 2005

Winn-Dixie Stores, Inc.

By: _____ /s/ PETER L. LYNCH

Peter L. Lynch
President and Chief Executive Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

| <u>Exhibit Number</u> | <u>Description</u> |
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