

Koppers Holdings Inc.  
Form 8-K  
February 05, 2010

**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**

**February 2, 2010**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)**

**KOPPERS HOLDINGS INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

(Commission  
File Number)  
436 Seventh Avenue

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15219

(Address of principal executive offices)

(412) 227-2001

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On February 2, 2010 Kevin J. Fitzgerald, Senior Vice President, Global Carbon Materials & Chemicals, Koppers Inc., announced his retirement effective April 30, 2010.

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.

**Dated: February 5, 2010**

KOPPERS HOLDINGS INC.

By: */s/* BRIAN H. McCURRIE  
**Brian H. McCurrie**  
**Vice President and Chief Financial Officer**