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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):

May 23, 2006

IMPERIAL OIL LIMITED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Canada 0-12014 98-0017682

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

237 Fourth Avenue S.W., Calgary, Alberta, Canada

T2P 0H6

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including

1-800-567-3776

area code:

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

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Item 8.01 Other Events

As a consequence of the Company s three-for-one stock split that took effect pursuant to Articles of Amendment dated May 23, 2006, pursuant to Rule 416(b) of the Securities Act of 1933:

- 1. the Company s Registration Statement on Form S-3 (File No. 33-41418) relating to its Dividend Reinvestment and Share Purchase Plan is hereby amended, to add to the number of Common Shares registered thereby 3,565,880 additional Common Shares resulting from such stock split; and
- 2. the Company s Registration Statement on Form S-8 (File No. 333-87240) relating to the 2002 Imperial Oil Incentive Stock Option Plan is hereby amended, to add to the number of Common Shares registered thereby 3,859,300 additional Common Shares resulting from such stock split.

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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.

IMPERIAL OIL LIMITED

Date: May 23, 2006 By: /s/ Brian Livingston

Name: Brian Livingston

Title: Vice President, General Counsel and

Corporate Secretary

By: /s/ Brent Latimer

Name: Brent Latimer Title: Assistant Secretary