

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 the earliest event reported)
August 3, 2006

CompX International Inc.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware ----- (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	1-13905 ----- (Commission File Number)	57-0981653 ----- (IRS Employer Identification No.)
5430 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1700, Dallas, Texas ----- (Address of principal executive offices)		75240-2697 ----- (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code
(972) 233-1700

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to
simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the
following provisions (see General Instruction A.2):

- [] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act
(17 CFR 230.425)
- [] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act
(17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- [] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under
the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- [] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under
the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

Pursuant to Items 2.02 and 7.01 of this current report, the registrant
hereby furnishes the information set forth in its press release issued on August
3, 2006, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated
herein by reference.

The information, including the exhibit, the registrant furnishes in this
report is not deemed "filed" for purposes of section 18 of the Securities
Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of
that section. Registration statements or other documents filed with the
Securities and Exchange Commission shall not incorporate this information by
reference, except as otherwise expressly stated in such filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Item No.	Exhibit Index
99.1	Press Release dated August 3, 2006 issued by the registrant.

SIGNATURE

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.

COMPX INTERNATIONAL INC.
(Registrant)

By: /s/ A. Andrew R. Louis

A. Andrew R. Louis
Secretary

Date: August 3, 2006

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PRESS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

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COMPX REPORTS SECOND QUARTER 2006 RESULTS

DALLAS, TEXAS ... August 3, 2006 ... CompX International Inc. (NYSE: CIX) announced today sales of \$50.1 million for the second quarter of 2006 compared to \$45.7 million in the same period of 2005. Operating income was \$5.8 million in the second quarter of 2006 compared to \$4.7 million in the same period of 2005. Income from continuing operations for the second quarter of 2006 was \$3.8 million, or \$0.25 per diluted share, compared to \$2.4 million, or \$0.16 per diluted share, in the second quarter of 2005.

Net sales for the six-month period ended June 30, 2006 increased to \$97.2 million compared to \$92.6 million in the previous year. Operating income was \$10.6 million for the six-month period ended June 30, 2006 compared to \$8.9 million for the comparable period of 2005. Income from continuing operations for the six-month period in 2006 was \$6.3 million, or \$0.41 per diluted share, compared to \$4.6 million, or \$0.30 per diluted share in 2005.

Net sales comparisons were positively impacted by additional sales volume resulting from acquisitions within our new performance marine components segment and volume increases within security products which were offset by sales volume decreases in furniture components. Operating income comparisons were favorably impacted by the acquisitions referred to above, a change in product mix and the continued benefit of cost improvement initiatives, partially offset by the negative impact of changes in currency exchange rates on our furniture components segment. In addition to the items noted above, income from continuing operations comparisons were favorably impacted by a lower effective tax rate in 2006 due to a higher percentage of our income in 2006 being derived from U.S. operations as compared to 2005.

"During the quarter, we successfully completed our second acquisition in the performance marine components industry as part of our strategy to diversify into additional component product markets," commented David A. Bowers, President & CEO. "We view the performance marine components industry as an attractive opportunity where engineering and quality are critical to the products we make and the customers we serve, resulting in higher margins and lower risk of products being commoditized. Expanding into this new components segment, along with our continued focus on improving margins through cost efficiency and replacing the sale of lower margin products with higher margin products, has enabled us to improve our gross margin from 23% in the second quarter 2005 to 25% in the second quarter of 2006. We believe our strategy will maintain our strong financial position, allowing us to take advantage of additional internal and external growth opportunities to further improve profits. "

CompX is a leading manufacturer of security products, furniture components and performance marine components. It operates from eight locations in the country-region U.S., country-region Canada and place country-region Taiwan, employing more than 1,200 people.

Statements in this release relating to matters that are not historical facts are forward-looking statements based upon management's belief and assumptions using currently available information. Although CompX believes the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are reasonable, it cannot give any assurances that these expectations will prove to be correct. Such statements, by their nature, involve substantial risks and uncertainties that could significantly impact expected results, and actual future results could differ materially from those described in such forward-looking statements. While it is not possible to identify all factors, CompX continues to face many risks and uncertainties. Among the factors that could cause actual future results to differ materially include, but are not limited to, general economic and political conditions, demand for office furniture, service industry employment levels, competitive products and prices, fluctuations in currency exchange rates, the introduction of trade barriers, potential difficulties in integrating completed acquisitions, the timing and amount of future cost savings from restructuring actions, the ability to sustain or increase operating income

improvement resulting from cost control initiatives, uncertainties associated with new product development and other risks and uncertainties detailed in CompX's Securities and Exchange Commission filings. Should one or more of these risks materialize (or the consequences of such a development worsen), or should the underlying assumptions prove incorrect, actual results could differ materially from those forecast or expected. CompX disclaims any intention or obligation to publicly update or revise such statements whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

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COMPX INTERNATIONAL INC.
SUMMARY OF CONSOLIDATED OPERATIONS
(In millions, except per share amounts)
(Unaudited)

	Three months ended June 30,		Six months ended June 30,	
	2005	2006	2005	2006
Net sales	\$ 45.7	\$ 50.1	\$ 92.6	\$ 97.2
Cost of goods sold	35.2	37.8	71.8	73.2
Gross profit	10.5	12.3	20.8	24.0
Selling, general and administrative	5.8	6.4	11.9	13.2
Other operating expense	-	0.1	-	0.2
Operating income	4.7	5.8	8.9	10.6
Interest expense	-	-	(0.1)	(0.1)
Other income, net	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.7
Income from continuing operations				
before income taxes	4.8	6.1	9.0	11.2
Income tax expense	2.4	2.3	4.4	4.9
Income from continuing operations	2.4	3.8	4.6	6.3
Discontinued operations, net of tax	-	(0.5)	(0.5)	(0.5)
Net income	\$ 2.4	\$ 3.3	\$ 4.1	\$ 5.8
Net income per diluted common share				
Continuing operations	\$ 0.16	\$ 0.25	\$ 0.30	\$ 0.41
Discontinued operations	-	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)
	\$ 0.16	\$ 0.22	\$ 0.27	\$ 0.38
Weighted average diluted common shares outstanding	15.2	15.3	15.2	15.2

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COMPX INTERNATIONAL INC.
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS
(In millions)

	December 31, 2005	June 30, 2006
	-----	----- (Unaudited)
Assets		
Current assets:		
Cash and equivalents	\$ 30.6	\$ 22.8
Accounts receivable, net	20.6	22.7
Inventories	22.5	23.5
Prepaid expenses and other	4.5	4.8
Note receivable	2.6	1.3
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Total current assets	80.8	75.1
Intangibles	38.0	43.7
Net property and equipment	68.0	71.0
Other assets	1.8	2.1
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Total assets	\$ 188.6	\$ 191.9
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Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 19.2	\$ 19.5
Income taxes	1.1	0.6
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Total current liabilities	20.3	20.1
Long-term debt	1.5	-
Deferred income taxes	16.7	18.7
Stockholders' equity	150.1	153.1
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Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 188.6	\$ 191.9
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