

SUNOCO INC  
Form 8-K  
August 05, 2008

**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): July 31, 2008

**SUNOCO, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Pennsylvania**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**1-6841**  
(Commission file number)

**23-1743282**  
(I.R.S. employer  
identification number)

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**1735 Market Street, Suite LL, Philadelphia, PA**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**(215) 977-3000**

**19103-7583**  
(Zip Code)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**NOT APPLICABLE**

(Former name or former address, 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))

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

On August 1, 2008, Sunoco, Inc. ( Sunoco or the Company ) announced that Charles K. Valutas, Senior Vice President and Chief Administrative Officer, will be retiring from Sunoco, effective September 1, 2008, after nearly 32 years of service with the Company. Mr. Valutas worked in a number of areas of the Company including assignments in finance, marketing and business development. Since 2000, he has served as Senior Vice President and Chief Administrative Officer, and has been responsible for various corporate professional services in support of the Company and its business units.

A copy of the press release announcing Mr. Valutas' retirement is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01** **Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated August 1, 2008

**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.

**SUNOCO, INC.**

(Registrant)

Date: August 5, 2008

By: /s/ Joseph P. Krott  
Joseph P. Krott  
Comptroller