

LINENS N THINGS INC  
Form 8-K  
February 03, 2006

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

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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)** January 30, 2006

LINENS 'N THINGS, INC.

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)**

Delaware  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)**

1-12381  
**(Commission File Number)**

22-3463939  
**(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)**

6 Brighton Road, Clifton, New Jersey  
**(Address of Principal Executive Offices)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code** (973) 778-1300

07015  
**(Zip Code)**

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. below):

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- 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))

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**Item 5.02**

**Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of  
Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers**

On January 30, 2006, Linens 'n Things, Inc. announced that Norman Axelrod will cease serving as Chairman and Chief Executive Officer effective on the closing and consummation of the Company's pending acquisition by Apollo Management, L.P. and certain other investors.

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**SIGNATURE**

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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.

LINENS 'N THINGS, INC.

Dated: February 3, 2006

By: /s/ Brian D. Silva  
Name: Brian D. Silva  
Title: Senior Vice President,  
Human Resources, Administration and  
Corporate Secretary

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